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TURNER LAING—March 10, 1932, wife of Lieutenant-Commander C. A. Turner Laing, R.N. (nee Douglas Brown), given a son.

DEATHS.

ATKINSON—March 13, 1932, at his residence, 39 Hyde Park Gate, London, S.W., the Right Hon. Lord Atkinson, late Lord of Appeal in Ordinary. Funeral at Dean's Grange Cemetery on Wednesday, the 16th March, at 10 o'clock a.m.

BRIDE—March 13, 1932, at his residence, 16 Sandymount road, James Joseph Bride, in his 76th year. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral private.

BURDGE—March 11, 1932, Annie, widow of the late Captain Nicholas Burdge, late of Irish Lights, and grand-daughter of the late John and Johanna Woodbyrne (nee Britton), of Ballycarney.

BURGESS—March 11, 1932, after a long illness, William Richard, the eldest son of the late William Lewelyn Burgess, of Llanelly, South Wales, and this city. Funeral private.

CLARKE—March 13, 1932, at her residence, Strand street, Athlone, Susan Clarke, aged 72 years. Funeral from St. Mary's at 3 p.m. to-morrow (Tuesday), 15th inst.

CLEARY—March 11, 1932, at his residence, 26 Bayview avenue, North Strand, Dublin, James Cleary, formerly of Castle Grace, County Tipperary. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. "Peace, perfect peace." English and American papers please copy.

DUCKETT—March 11, 1932, Elizabeth Mary Duckett, of 46 Leinster road, Rathmines, eldest daughter of late Thomas Morien Duckett, B.L., of Clonmel.

EGAN—March 12, 1932, at her residence, 12 Longford terrace, Monkstown, Dublin, Mary Josephine (Minnie), widow of the late John J. Egan, J.P. R.I.P. Funeral (private), after 9 o'clock Mass, St. Patrick's, Monkstown, to-morrow (Tuesday) morning.

HALTON—March 12, 1932, at her residence, 22 Garville road, Rathgar, Ada, wife of M. J. Halton. R.I.P. Funeral from Church of Three Patrons, Rathgar, at 10 o'clock to-morrow (Tuesday) morning, 15th inst., to Waltonstown, Mullingar. Holy Mass at 10 o'clock. No flowers.

KIRK—March 10, 1932, at 13 Dufferin avenue, Robert Kirk. "At rest."

LITTLE—March 11, 1932, at 5 Palmerston Villas, Upper Rathmines, Henrietta Louisa, fourth daughter of the late Lyndon E. Little, M.D., of Hollymount, County Mayo.

MAYNE—March 9, 1932, at his residence, Holmcliffe, Lee road, Cork, Frederick Joseph Mayne. Very deeply regretted.

MURRAY—March 11, 1932, at 7 Claremont Villas, Glenageary, Elizabeth (Lillie), widow of late John Murray, R.I.P. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

PALMER—Sunday, March 13, 1932, at a Dublin hospital, after serious operation, Alice Maude (the Mallows), dearly-loved wife of W. J. Palmer, Lifford, Ennis. They will be done." Funeral at Mount Jerome 10.30 to-morrow (Tuesday) morning.

PERRY—March 11, 1932, at his residence, 7 Rostrevor terrace, Rathgar, Dublin, Matthew Evans, eldest surviving son of the late Robert Middleton Perry, aged 58 years. Service in Zion Church, Rathgar, at 9.15 a.m. to-day (Monday). Funeral (private) arriving Temple Hill, Blackrock, at 10 o'clock this (Monday) morning.

REDPATH—At Newgarden, Carlow, after a short illness, William Cairns Redpath, beloved husband of Minnie Redpath, and youngest son of the late Alexander and Grace Redpath, passed peacefully away. To be with Christ, which is far better." Funeral to Ardbraccan, Meath, to-day (Monday), 14th, arriving at 3 o'clock. Scottish, Australian, and New Zealand papers please copy.

SPRING—March 13, 1932, at her residence, 50 Morehampton road, Dublin, Mary Jane, widow of late John Spring, R.I.P. Funeral (private) from St. Mary's, Haddington road, after 9 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Tuesday) morning, the 15th inst. No flowers.

TURNER—March 13, 1932, at Presentation Convent, Tuam, Mother Mary Margaret Turner (Dublin Lane), fourth daughter of the late Dr. Thomas Blake Turner, St. John's Abbey, Tuam. R.I.P. High Mass to-morrow (Tuesday) at 11 a.m. Funeral immediately afterwards.

WELD—March 10, 1932, at a Dublin hospital, Matthew Richard Weld, aged 25 years. Funeral private.

WILSON—March 11, 1932, at 31 Creighton street, Margaret Wilson, wife of the late Samuel Wilson. Funeral to Mount Jerome this (Monday) morning at 11.30 o'clock.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 6.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Leinster Lodge, Clontarf—The **D'Alton** family wish to return sincere thanks to the many friends who sympathised with them in their very sad bereavement, especially the members of the Clontarf Yacht and Boat Club.

Mr. Thomas McMorrin, 4 Lee street, Dublin, desires to thank those who sympathised with him in his recent sad bereavement, also for kind letters and floral tributes received, and trust they will accept this in grateful acknowledgment.

The sister, son, and daughter of the late John Moore wish to return sincere thanks to all who sent Masses, wreaths, telegrams, letters, and messages of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

ALDRED—In sad and loving memory of my dear husband, Joseph Aldred, late of Education Office, who departed this life on 14th March, 1925.

BRUNTON—In loving memory of our darling "Margot," who fell asleep on the 14th March, 1929.
"Say not good-night,
But in some brighter clime
Bid me good-morning."

CAMPBELL—In sad and loving memory of my dear wife, Jane, late of Howth Summit, called Home on March 9, 1931. Never forgotten.—Alec.

COBBE—Eighth Anniversary—In loving memory of our dear mother, who died on 13th March, 1924, at Farnworth, Widnes, Lancashire. Always in our thoughts.—Tom, Bill, Jack.

GRIFFIN—In loving memory of darling Daphne, who passed away, suddenly, on 14th March, 1922.
"Beatae Memoriae."—Blanche and Violet.

HARRISON—In ever-loving memory of my darling mother, Ellinor Edith Harrison, late of 72 Palmerston road, Dublin, who entered into life on March 13th, 1951. "The light of the morning when the sun riseth, even a morning without clouds." II. Sam. xxiii. 4.

JACKSON—Eighth Anniversary—In memory of my beloved husband, John Henry Jackson, ex-Inspector, D.M.P., who died at 5 St. Agnes' terrace, Crumlin, on 14th March, 1924. R.I.P.

McLEAN—In loving memory of my sister, Mamie, who passed to the Homeland on March 14th, 1928. Ever remembered by her sister and nieces; also in remembrance of father, Captain James Tyrrell, who entered into his rest on March 31st, 1917. United.

McLEAN—In loving memory of Auntie Mamie, who fell asleep on 14th March, 1928. Ever affectionately remembered by Kathleen.

NASH—In ever-sweet and loving memory of Dorothea L. F. Nash. "I thank God for remembrance of her which can never fade."

NOBLE—In loving memory of our dear father, George Noble, who was called to rest on 14th March, 1925. Sadly missed.

POOLE—In ever-loving memory of Minnie E. Poole, South Parade, Waterford, who passed away on March 14th, 1929.

REDMOND—First Anniversary—In affectionate remembrance of Michael Gerald Redmond, died on 13th March, 1931. Inserted by his father and sisters.

SCALLY—In loving memory of William Scally, who died at Moylist House, Roscommon, on 13th March, 1919. R.I.P.

SHEEHAN—In sad and ever-loving memory of my dearly-beloved husband, Patrick Sheehan, who died at 46 Hapnaville Park, Terenure, on the 14th March, 1930. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Masses will be said in Terenure and Mount Argus. "To live in hearts one leaves behind is not to die."

SOMERS—First Anniversary—In loving memory of Mrs. Anne Somers, late of 59 Prussia street, died on 13th March, 1931. Jesus, have mercy.

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Wonderful offer of this famous Eastern Silk, ever popular for Ladies' and Children's Dresses, Underwear, etc. Medium weight, free from dressing. One shade only—Natural. 33 inches wide. Clerys Price, a yard 1/11

RICH PRINTED SHANTUNG
Big consignment of this delightful new Spring fabric, in small neat floral designs on contrasting backgrounds of natural, pale green, old rose, yellow and blue. 33 inches wide. Clerys Price, a yard 2/11

SUEDE CREPE-de-CHINE
This lovely fabric is made from the finest Silk and Rayon Yarns, and is ideal for all classes of smart Dress Wear. Very supple for present styles. Colours include begonia, turquoise, smoke-grey, cocoa, vieux-rose, lemon, powder-blue, saxe, navy, champagne, black, white. 36 inches. Price, a yard 2/11

RAYON CREPE-de-CHINE
A most dependable Artificial Silk for stylish new Dress Wear. Manufactured from fine Continental Rayon in pretty shades of mist, pink, sky, pale green, lemon, almond, light navy, lupin-blue, grey, saxe, red, wine, bottle green, royal, emerald, beige, brown, ivory, and black. 36 inches wide. Clerys Price, a yard 1/11½

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Artificial SILK Georgette
Great bargain in this useful fabric for smart Afternoon and Evening Frocks; beautiful smooth finish. Loveliest of plain shades, including geranium, china-blue, cactus-green, chocolate, black and white. 36 inches wide. Price, a yard 1/11

BLACK SULTAN SATIN
Just arrived! The first of the season's deliveries of this most useful Satin for smart Spring Coats. Dyed a perfect black, it will tailor well and give every satisfaction. 36 inches wide. Clerys Price, a yard 2/11

BLACK EMBOSSED GEORGETTE
A delightful "quality" fabric at a wonderfully low price. Raised black velvet flower design on black silk georgette background. Ideal for Bridge Contees and Afternoon Wear. 36 inches wide. Black only. Price, a yard 3/11

"MACCLESFIELD" SILK
The perfect silk for Sports and Washing Frocks. Heavyweight all-silk with a dull finish. Will wash and wear almost endlessly. Original small check and striped designs. 36 inches wide. Price, a yard 4/11

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A really dependable fabric, 100% Rayon, ideal for Ladies' fashionable Dresses and dainty Lingerie; washes well. Beautiful colour range includes emerald, orange, saxe, Lido, lupin, red, wine, salmon, pink, apricot, grey, brown, fawn, mauve, lemon, black, navy, and ivory. 36 inches wide. Wonderful value at, a yard 1/6½

PURE SILK SCHAPPE
This is one of the most fashionable silk fabrics for Ladies' Blouses, Underwear and Sports Wear, Children's Dresses, etc. White only, guaranteed to wash and wear well. 38 inches wide. Clerys Price, a yard 2/11½

DYED SPUN SILK
Exceptionally low price for this reliable fabric, forecasted to be one of the most fashionable fabrics for Spring and Summer wear. Plain shades of peach, yellow, pink, salmon, gold, sky, sea-de-nil and turquoise. 36 inches wide. Clerys Price, a yard 1/11

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LEGAL NOTICES.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR INCUMBRANCERS.
Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, made in a Suit
THE NATIONAL BANK LIMITED, Plaintiffs:
And
THOMAS FOLEY, Defendant.
All persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting the interest of the Defendant in part of the lands of Shesheraghmore, containing 16 acres 2 roods and 27 perches, or thereabouts, Statute measure, situate in the Barony of Clonmel Lower and County of Tipperary, being the lands comprised in Folio No. 14748, County Tipperary, are to enter and prove their claims at the Central Office, Law Courts, Dublin, on or before the 11th day of April, 1932, or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.
Every such Incumbrancer holding any security is to produce the same to the Examiner at his office, Law Courts, Dublin, on the 14th day of April, 1932, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
Dated this 3rd day of March, 1932.
JOHN HEALY, Examiner.

IN THE COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.
RAILWAYS ACT, 1924.
NEW EXCEPTIONAL RATES MORE THAN FORTY PER CENT. BELOW THE STANDARD RATES CHARGEABLE BY THE GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS COMPANY DURING JANUARY AND FEBRUARY, 1932.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Great Southern Railways Company, in accordance with Section 35, sub-Section (1) of the Railways Act, 1924, having applied to the Railway Tribunal for consent to New Exceptional Rates exceeding forty per cent. below the Standard Rates, lists of the said New Exceptional Rates will be open for public inspection up to the 9th day of April, 1932, at the office of the Great Southern Railways Company, Kingsbridge, Dublin, Cork, Limerick, Waterford, Galway, Sligo and Tralee, and at the office of the Registrar of the Railway Tribunal, 3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin, during office hours.
Notice is hereby further given that the Court of the Railway Tribunal will sit in Court No. 6, Dublin Castle, to consider the said application on Friday, the 8th day of April, 1932, at 11 o'clock, and any person interested who shall give notice of his intention to appear at the said sitting will be entitled to be heard.
Notices of intention to appear, which should contain particulars of the rate in which the person giving the notice is interested should be filed with the Registrar on or before the 5th day of April, 1932. Each Notice should be impressed with a Revenue Fee Stamp for 2s. 6d., or if sent by post, should be accompanied by a Post Office Order for 2s. 6d., payable to the Registrar of the Railway Tribunal.
Dated this 11th day of March, 1932.
JOHN O'BRIEN, Registrar.
3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin.

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And
JAMES O'CONNELL, Defendant.
All persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting the interest of the defendant in all that plot of ground, containing about 1 rood, Irish Plantation Measure, with the dwelling-house, shop, licensed premises, out-offices and bu

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A REFINED, educated GIRL WANTED as COMPANION-HELP (R.C.), Dublin suburbs; must be capable of driving car.—R 1991, this office. 9 A

APPRENTICE (GIRL) WANTED. Apply Leeson Stores, Leeson street. 10 B

BOOKKEEPER and TYPIST WANTED, city business office. Apply, giving particulars, S 23, this office. 9 A

COMPANION HELP WANTED after Easter by elderly lady living in the country; Protestant. Address "Z 3936, Help," this office. 11 C

DRESS Tweed and Woollens—WANTED, experienced CHARGE HAND; high class trade, Dublin. Particulars, experience and age to S 24, this office. 9 A

SOUTH America—For Vacancies, Business Opportunities, etc., read Anglo-South American Guide, 12/- per annum, or 1/2 monthly, post free, from 101 Fleet street, London, E.C.4. 11 X

UNDERCLOTHING—Well educated SALESLADY with experience REQUIRED; imperative to give fullest particulars, by letter only, as to experience, age and salary expected, in confidence.—Manager, Newells, Ltd., 76 Grafton street, Dublin.

WILL any elderly lady kindly recommend to another reliable DRESSMAKER good renovations; moderate charges; city or suburbs. Address "Z 3949, Dressmaker," this office. 11 A

WANTED, SHORTHAND TYPIST (Male), with experience bookkeeping and stores; 30/- weekly.—S 235, this office.

MEDICAL NURSING AND APPOINTMENTS.

A MAID Attendant invalid or old lady, Protestant, middle aged; make herself useful; position trust; experienced; very well recommended. Address "Z 3890, Attendant," this office. 10 C

C.M.B. NURSE (Protestant), REQUIRED immediately for position in Dublin.—S 188, this office. 11 C

NEWCASTLE Sanatorium, Co. Wicklow—WANTED, a TRAINED NURSE for holiday duty the end of this month. Apply Matron. 13 C

MONEY, PARTNERSHIPS, ETC.

ADVANCES on Deeds, Shares, Endowment Policies, Post-dated Cheques.—Wachman, 30 Drury street. T

ABSOLUTE privacy. Cash Advances from £5 upwards on Securities.—48 Aungier street. T

APPROVED Post-dated Cheques cashed; Loans arranged.—32 South Frederick street, Dublin. T

APPLICATION invited for active PARTNERSHIP in new Garage and Electrical Business, leading position important county town; £750 capital required. Address "Z 3877, Partnership," this office. 9 B

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CASH Advanced from £10 upwards. Apply 34 Exchequer street, Dublin. T

LOANS granted on moderate terms.—P. Toohey, 5 Fownes street, Dublin. T

LOANS Advanced on reduced terms, £10 upwards; strictly private.—Commercial Union Loan and Discount Co., 57 Mid. Abbey street. Phone, 45095. T

MORTGAGE Required on Leasehold House, just completed, £900; only principals or solicitors need apply.—S 244, this office. 12 D

NATIONAL Teacher requires Loan, £20 immediately, repay 6 months; state interest. Address "Z 3915, Loan," this office.

£5 TO £500 Advanced Privately on approved personal security of borrowers at an extremely low rate of interest; loan can be repaid by small instalments to suit. Call or write for particulars, S. Freeman and Co., 1 Garfield street, Belfast. T

£15 UPWARDS Advanced daily by post. Special terms to professional persons; terms arranged. Bills and Post-dated Cheques Discounted in any part of Ireland; no fees charged. Apply in strict confidence to Secretary, Estates, Ltd., 45 High street, Belfast. 12 1

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS, OFFICIALS, SERVANTS, ETC.

POSITIONS VACANT.

GOOD WAITRESS REQUIRED before Easter; must enclose copies, stating age, wages.—Roche's Hotel, Glengariff. 9 B

WANTED, young WAITRESS or HOUSEMAID WAITRESS, good appearance. Apply, with references, Swiss Hotel, Fitzwilliam square, Dublin, under Irish management.

WANTED, LARDER COOK (Man), for 1st class city hotel. Send copy references, stating age, and wage expected, to S 237, this office. 12 D

WANTED at once, an experienced COOK, for Commercial Hotel. Apply, enclosing copy references, state age and salary expected, "Z 3947, Cook," this office. 12 D

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

APPLY—Hotel Staffs, Men, Women, all capacities; go anywhere.—Kennedy's, 68 Sackville street.

IRISH Chef, good all round experience, references, season, permanent; state particulars.—Walsh, 5 Southcombe street, London, W.14.

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UNDER Boots (20), any hotel work; experienced; £26.—Thomas Phelan, Cloverhill, Sligo. 11 C

YOUNG Lady, 4 years' experience, Hotel, Bar and Grocery, wishes to hear of vacancy.—S 141, this office. 11 A

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

OPEN for engagement, an unqualified Chemist's Assistant; eight years' experience; exceptional dispensing experience; knowledge of Cine Kodaks; well trained in window dressing and salesmanship. Address "Z 3948, Chemist," this office.

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QUALIFIED Chemist open to Managership or Partnership; 30 years' experience, city and country; photography, veterinary, opticss. Address "Z 3911, Chemist," this office. 11 A

WANTED, APPRENTICE and qualified Lady CHEMIST, City Pharmacy.—S 5, this office. 9 A

WANTED, a good, reliable JUNIOR ASSISTANT (Protestant) for Midlands; state lowest salary (outdoor). Address "Z 3939, Assistant," this office.

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

COMPETENT Shorthand Typist, long experience solicitor's office, desires position.—S 47, this office. 10 B

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REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED, Sale Calendars, Blotters; commission basis; send reference.—S 219, this office. 12 D

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TRAVELLER WANTED, with connection, calling on shops, Waterford, Cork, Kerry, Limerick and Clare; must be capable of earning £400 a year; own car essential. Replies must state age, past and present employment, in confidence, to Box Traveller, c/o McConnell's Advertising Service, Ltd., 10 Pearse street, Dublin. 11 A

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ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success lists 1 rec.—McGuire's College, Gardiner's Row, Dublin. T

AGENCY, 69 Grafton street—Highly recommended Governesses or Nurse to older children.

DANCING—Private Lessons any time; Classes nightly.—Professor Graham, 35 North George's street. 8 5

EXAMINATIONS—W. St. George Breakey Grinds at 4 Sandford road, Dublin, for all University and Professional Preliminaries. 12 12

FRENCH Conversation Classes, by French Lady; moderate charges.—5 Upper Pembroke street. 10 C

LADY, I.C., experienced, desires re-engagement after Easter, teaching, gardening; nominal salary, comfortable home; excellent testimonials.—"Teacher," Wilde's Office, Bray. 9 A

MURPHY'S famous Personal Tuitions, Shorthand, Typewriting; rapid results; moderate.—16 Appian Way. 12 3

MANDOLINE Taught, sixpence lesson, Friday evenings.—Strand Music School, 6 Capel street. 12 D

NURSERY Governess or Mother's Help (R.C.) desires post; good needlewoman; domesticated; highly recommended.—S 252, this office. 13 B

12 GUINEAS a Term, inclusive—Old established Boarding School (60 girls), bracing seaside town, within easy reach Holyhead. Preparation for public exams. Address "Z 3040, School," this office. X

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WANTED, young NURSERY GOVERNESS or MOTHER'S HELP (C.I.) to look after little girl of 4 and help in house; needlewoman; please state age and salary expected. Address "Z 3933, Governess," this office. 11 B

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

CARPENTER, young, all round hand, desires position; preferably on estate; excellent references. Address "Z 3850, Carpenter," this office. 8 A

COMPTOMETER Operator, with nine years' experience, desires position.—S 17, this office. 9 A

COMPANION Secretary, Protestant, to delicate lady, gentleman; highest references; good linguist; salary nominal.—S 123, this office. 11 C

CARPENTER disengaged, house repairs and shop fitting or alterations; terms moderate.—S 116, this office. 11 A

DISENGAGED, young Man, Storekeeper, experienced packing, despatching; highest references.—S 145, this office. 11 A

EXPERIENCED Dressmaker, very highly recommended, will work ladies' houses, 5/- per day.—S 232, this office.

GIRL, age 22, wishes to hear of vacancy in shop or factory; would go as Apprentice.—S 22, this office. 9 A

GENTLEMAN of standing desires position of trust, Southern Ireland preferred; accustomed to managerial work and taking charge of staff and men; has also a good knowledge of agency work; can give highest testimonial.—S 69, this office. 9 C

HOUSEKEEPER, Chauffeuse—Young Gentlewoman, capable, experienced in caring invalid and willing to undertake slight secretarial work, seeks position.—S 146, this office. 11 A

LADY Shorthand Typist, Invoice Clerk, experienced, presently disengaged.—R 1968, this office. 9 A

POST Companion Help or Governess, Nurse Attendant; small salary. Address "Z 3954, Help," this office. 12 X

WANTED, by Protestant Person, single, post as Caretaker of Offices, or otherwise of trust; highest reference.—S 7, this office. 9 A

YOUNG Widow seeks post Companion Help, Housekeeper, I.C.; well recommended; Dublin, suburbs preferred. Address "Z 3918, Help," this office. 11 D

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AN energetic young MAN REQUIRED for Dalkey district, experienced in milking and serving; room without meals can be provided. State particulars of experience, age, wages required, and enclose copies references, to "Z 3889, Man," this office. T

WANTED immediately, HOUSE PARLOURMAN; undeniable personal references; Roebuck district; state experience, age, wages; good outings.—S 147, this office. 11 C

WANTED, HERD, Co. Kildare; must milk, knowledge rearing young stock. Apply, copies references, "Z 3941, Herd," this office. 12 D

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WANTED, good WORKING STEWARD; must understand all farm work; send copies references. Address "Z 3942, Steward," this office. 12 B

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GAMEKEEPER, R.C., life experience all branches, anxious to hear situation.—R O 544, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 10 B

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TROJAN Touring Car, in perfect running order, 3-door model, on pneumatics. Apply Ashenhurst, Williams and Co., Ltd., 12-15 Talbot place, Store street, Dublin. 10 A

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MOTOR CARS CONTINUED.

4-DOOR Ford Saloon, 1929 Model, for immediate sale; bargain. To be seen at 42 South King street, Dublin. 11 C

WANTED.

WANTED, old Armstrong Siddeleys, in part exchange for new ones. Highest market prices given. Deferred terms arranged.—Express Auto Co., 52 Dawson street, Dublin. 11 C

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LOCK Up Garages, Workshops, Storage of all kinds, from 10/- monthly; Sheds, suitable 'buses, lorries.—Garville Avenue Garage, Rathgar, also at Woodstock Garage, Ranelagh. 10 B

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FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Monday, March 14.

AN CHUIRT ATHCHOMHAIRC CHOIRIULA.
(The Court of Criminal Appeal.)

Sitting in the Supreme Court, at 11 o'clock. For Hearing. Applications for Leave to Appeal—The Attorney-General v. William Power—from Cork Circuit Court (applicant to be present); same v. John McGuirk—from Dublin Circuit Court (applicant to be present); same v. John Waters—from Dublin Circuit Court; same v. Philip Clarke—from Dublin Circuit Court.

AN CLARATHOIR DO'N PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH.
(The Registrar to the Chief Justice.)

Before the Registrar, at 11 o'clock. Summons—Baker, Ringwood and Gordon.

Before Dr. Webb, Assistant-Registrar, at 11.30 o'clock—Dwane, minors; Mooney, minors; Drought, a minor.

Before Mr. Magahan, at 11 o'clock—Vouch ac. Beauchamp and Orr.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 5, at 11 o'clock—T. Kennedy, deceased, Kennedy v. Kennedy; McGinley v. Gallagher; B. Roe, deceased, Morgan v. Roe; Northern Bank, Ltd., v. Rogers; Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Manahan; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Dowling; P. Fleming, deceased, and J. J. Fleming, deceased, O'Brien v. Fleming; Companies Act and S. and A. G. Davis, Ltd.; Moore's Trusts, Moore v. Carey; H. T. Ensor, deceased; Atkins, Chirnside and Co. v. Foster; J. F. Begley, deceased, Gardner v. Goggins; Rev. E. Mahon, deceased, Fitzpatrick v. Duffy (Sheridan); same matter and cause (Kelleher); same matter and cause (Morris); same matter and cause (Conefrey). Motions—Malone v. Malone; Hutchinson v. Graham; Connor v. Grogan; Lyle v. Alexander. Summonses—Ryan v. Kennedy; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Metcalfe; King's Inns and Trustee Act, 1893; Rogers, deceased, Furlong v. O'Farrell; S. L. A. and Pym; O'Hanrahan, deceased, Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Haugh.

At 2 o'clock. Specially fixed. Action—Kilkenny Co. Council v. Minister for Justice (part heard).

For Monday, 11th April. Motion—Dillon v. Cleary. Summons—Lowry, deceased, Dawson v. Lowry. For Tuesday, 12th April, at 11 o'clock, Action—Harris v. Lambert.

For Monday, 18th April, at 11 o'clock. To fix dates of hearing. Actions—Rowland v. Hearne; McCormack v. McCormack; Murphy v. O'Brien; Free v. Morris; Finn v. Kehoe; Baskin v. Leatherman.

In Court 6, at 11 o'clock—R. C. McCleane, deceased, Maginn v. McCleane; Gaussen v. Ellis; National Bank, Ltd., v. O'Neill; same v. Duane; National Benefit Assurance Co., Ltd., v. O'Connor; J. McClelland, deceased, Fegan v. McClelland; Murphy v. Murphy; National Bank, Ltd., v. Daly; P. Quinn, deceased, Hanrahan v. Quinn; J. O'Connell, deceased, O'Connor v. O'Connell (Little, O hUadhaigh and Proud); O'Sullivan, deceased, O'Sullivan v. O'Neill (J. C. Guihan); E. G. Ward, deceased, Stirling, Cockle and Ashley, Ltd., v. Magrath. Petition—Companies Acts and Fletcher and Phillipson, Ltd. Motions—O'Connor and Son, Ltd., v. Gorey; Hamilton v. Smith; Gordon v. Fee; Schauenburg v. Livingston. Summons—Hosford v. Hosford; Dunlop v. Ferguson; Toher v. Purcell; National Bank v. O'Kelly; Reade v. Kiernan; S. L. Acts and Massy; Bank of Ireland v. Elder; Commissioners C.D. and Bequests v. Moran; Solomon v. Cherrick; Mulcahy v. Walsh.

For Tuesday, 15th March. Summons—Tottenham v. Bolton (at hearing).

MAISTIR NA h-ARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

Before the Master, at 11 o'clock. Motions of Course. Summonses—Convery v. Cormac; Settled Land Acts and Wallace; Clancy v. Byrne; White v. Wilson; Redmond v. Hughes; Mullard Wireless Service Co., Ltd., v. Broderick Bros. (Ireland); Phillips Lamps (Ireland), Ltd., v. same. On Notice—The Revenue Commissioners v. Benn; Power v. Power; Liston v. Ryan; the National Bank, Ltd., v. Moloney.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA.
(The Taxing Master's Office.)

Master Denning, at 11 o'clock. Ex parte taxations—Wicklow County Council to Brazil, J. Brazil; Tuam Town Commissioners to McDonagh, F. B. McDonagh; Martin v. Gavin, Gore and Grimes; Armstrong v. Jenings, Longfield, Kelly and Armstrong; Munster and Leinster Bank v. Quain, M. Tynan and Co.; Gillen v. Matthews, P. J. Mulligan; Nolan v. Nolan, P. Glynn.

OIFIG AN SCRUDORA.
(The Examiners' Office.)

Mr. Healy (Room 113) at 11 o'clock—Byrne v. Kelly; J. Carberry, deceased, Robinson v. O'Connor; T. Keane, deceased, Keane v. Keane; Limerick Diocesan School Endowment and 32 Geo. III. c. 101; T. Mulhern, deceased, Mulhern v. Mulhern.

BANKRUPTCY.
(Before the Registrar.)

At 11 o'clock—Arrangement, account comp., Collins and Son; arrangement, vouch account, Collins and Son; Reilly, vouch account, J. J. McDonald; arrangement, account comp., H. Good; arrangement, prove debts, H. Lemass; arrangement, account comp., Collins and Son; Farrelly and McMahon, vouch and audit, W. Y. Seddall; arrangement, account comp., Scallan and Co.; arrangement, prove a debt, James Tanham.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.
(Examiners' Chambers, at 93 Merrion square.)

Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—McCloghry's estate (S.1383 and 2335). At 12 o'clock—Tottenham estate (S.1662). At 3 o'clock—Brooke's estate (S.1501), vouch.

Before Mr. Brett, at 11 o'clock—Sir Berkeley Vincent and another, owner, R. P. Fuge, proprietor (S.180/38), vouch.

(At 80 Merrion square, Dublin.)

Before Mr. Leet, at 11 o'clock—Anna Frances Butler (S.2496), discharge rulings and settle schedule.

Before Mr. Tyrrell, at 11 o'clock—Mary Chute (S.1680), discharge rulings and settle schedule.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS CHUARDA.
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Davitt, at the Four Courts, at 11 o'clock. Civil actions—Dignam v. McLarnan; Todd Burns and Co. v. Byrne (December); Doyle v. Dunne; Dunphy v. Carr; Drew v. O'Gorman; Delaney v. Farrell and another; Kennedy v. Ryan and others (April, 1930).

Before Judge Shannon, at the Four Courts, at 11 o'clock. Equity—Parker v. Boland (motion). Application for summary judgment—Clarke and others v. Ivie Vint; Cotter v. Dunne. Civil Actions—Telford v. Telford; Clarendon v. Gibbons; Rawson v. Chillingworth (equity), Murphy v. Duggan and another (October, 1931).

Before Judge Shannon, at the Four Courts, for Tuesday, 15th March, at 11 o'clock. Applications for summary judgment—Martin v. Fay; Arnott and Co., Ltd., v. Roche; Gordon v. Maguire. Civil Actions—Heard v. Pacitti (3/10/'29); Darling v. McEvoy (equity); Brennan v. Brown; Brown v. Brennan.

Before Judge Davitt, at the Four Courts, for Tuesday, 15th March, at 11 o'clock. Civil actions—Adamson v. Mantle and Costumes, Ltd.; Cullen v. Kenny (October 31st). Appeal from the District Court—O'Neill v. Connolly.

The following civil actions will shortly appear in Judge Davitt's list for hearing:—Evans v. Corrigan; Elliott v. McMaster Hodgson; Farrell v. McCormack; Ford v. McCrum; Fannin and Co., Ltd., v. Bermingham; Fitzgerald v. Fitzgerald; Fitzsimons v. Lynn; Farrell v. O'Donovan; Fodhla Printing Co. v. Flynn; St. Patrick's Hospital v. Taylor.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

IN A COLLISION.

SCHOOLMASTER CHARGED WITH DRUNKENNESS.

(BEFORE MR. CUSSEN.)

Patrick J. Moran, described as a schoolmaster, of Kill, Enfield, was remanded on bail until next Wednesday, accused of being drunk when in charge of a motor car last Friday night.

Evidence was given that a car driven by the defendant collided with a taxi-cab at the junction of Blessington street and Dorset street, and went on without stopping. Two Civic Guards commandeered a lorry and overtook the car at Cabra. The defendant staggered when he got out of the car. He said that he knew nothing about a collision and had done no harm to anybody.

Mr. E. H. Burne, solicitor, appeared for the defendant.

MOTOR TUITION COURSES.

ALLEGED FALSE PRETENCES.

Jack Francis, stated to be a motor engineer, of Lower Mount street, Dublin, was remanded, on independent bail of £50, until next Wednesday, charged with obtaining £20 from Walter D. Coustal, 92 Lower Mount street, by pretending that he was in a position to give facilities for up-to-date motor tuition courses.

Formal evidence of arrest was given, and it was stated that the accused man, when cautioned and charged, said: "I will say nothing until I instruct my solicitor."

Mr. Morris, solicitor, appeared for the accused man, and Mr. L. T. McCarthy for Mr. Coustal.

NEW DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

FIRST SITTING TO-DAY.

Mr. Cussen, Senior District Justice, announced in the Dublin District Court last Saturday that the first sitting of the new District Court at the Four Courts would be held at 2 o'clock to-day. There was, he said, only one civil case listed, but they hoped in a short while to take all the civil business in the new court, as well as the business relating to children.

THE CITY OF DUBLIN SKIN AND CANCER HOSPITAL, HUME STREET.

The monthly meeting of the City of Dublin Skin and Cancer Hospital was held at Hume street on Thursday last under the chairmanship of M. J. A. Purtill, Esq., F.A.A.

T. Halligan, Esq., and G. E. Robertson, Esq., were chosen Visiting Governors for the month.

The report of the House and Finance Committee was submitted and cheques passed for necessary expenditure.

The report of the Medical Superintendent, Andrew Charles, Esq., F.R.C.S., showed an attendance of 57 intern patients, 652 extern patients, 439 for light treatment and 51 for Erlangen treatment.

The Matron desires to thank the following kind friends for their gifts:—Mrs. Hamilton, Miss Bannon and Miss Emerson, bottles; Miss Roberts, periodicals; Baby Lynch, toys; and A Friend, jam.

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PEMBROKE BOY SCOUTS.

ANNUAL ENTERTAINMENT.

Eleven hundred people attended the annual entertainment under the auspices of the 35th Dublin (Pembroke) Group of Boy Scouts on Thursday, Friday and Saturday last.

The Lord Mayor of Dublin (Alderman Alfred Byrne, T.D.), who attended the performance on Saturday night, paid a tribute to the work of the Scout movement and congratulated the Scoutmaster, Mr. C. V. Norman, on the excellent talent displayed by the scouts in the plays which they produced. He added that he was particularly struck with the final item on the programme—the Pageant of Irish Industries and the Buy Irish Goods campaign.

The programme was excellent, "An Irishman at the Court of King Arthur" being an outstanding item.

Those who took part in the programme were Mr. C. V. Norman, Scoutmaster; Mr. G. G. MacNiece, Assistant-Scoutmaster; Mr. H. Siberry and his band, V. Sanderson, F. Reddin, R. Mossop, M. Harvey, W. Keogh, J. Moss, E. Naylor, A. Gillespie, A. Butler, A. Mundy, L. O'Donoghue, W. Lindsay, J. Dalton, H. A. Roughan, E. Davis, S. Lockhart, C. Butler, J. Newman, F. Martin, R. Brown, E. Moore, S. Baker, J. Colleft and D. Parker.

"HELEN OF TROY" CASE DOCTOR.

TO WORK IN AFRICA.

Dr. Charles Searle, the defendant in the "Helen of Troy" action, told a reporter last night that he will turn his back on Cambridge for good when he leaves for his new appointment in the wilds of East Africa on April 21st. For twelve months he will act as medical attendant on a ranch 500 miles north of Nairobi, in a lonely part of Kenya Colony. His patients will be a number of former Cambridge undergraduates, who are running the ranch, and the native cattle boys.

"I shall never return to Cambridge," said Dr. Searle. "When I leave it will be for good. Cambridge has treated me very badly, and I never want to see the town again. What will happen at the end of my first year I cannot say. Probably I shall remain in Africa. It is the life I love. I have always felt the call of the wild, and I shall be in my element roughing it hundreds of miles from civilisation."

Dr. Searle has sold his practice and bought a house for his wife and children, who are remaining in Cambridge during his absence. He was offered his new appointment a few days after the hearing of the "Helen of Troy" case. One of the ranchers, an old Trinity College man and a friend of the doctor, who was in England, invited him to return to Africa with him.

PILLION RIDER INJURED.

Following a collision between a motor cycle and a motor car in Churchtown road yesterday evening, Christopher Byrne (age 19), of Darley street, Rathmines, who was riding on the pillion of the motor cycle, received injuries which necessitated his removal to the Meath Hospital for treatment. The driver of the motor cycle, which was completely wrecked, also received minor injuries. The car, which was driven by Mr. Arthur Cox, of Stephen's Green, Dublin, was only slightly damaged.

ACCIDENT AT DUNDRUM.

A nineteen years old boy, Christopher Byrne, of 11 Darley street, sustained a broken leg when he was knocked down by a motor car in the vicinity of Dundrum yesterday afternoon. He was taken in the Corporation ambulance to the Meath Hospital.

Francis Henry Pugh (21), a theological student, was found burnt to death in the bedroom of his home at Llanymynech, Shropshire, yesterday.

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CHRIST CHURCH SERMON.

THE PLACE OF CHRIST IN CHRISTIANITY.

CHRIST'S manhood and Godhead were dealt with in the fifth of the series of special sermons on "Fundamental Truths," in connection with the Church of Ireland Home Mission Society, preached yesterday afternoon in Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, by the Rev. J. Purser Shortt, B.D., Rector of St. Thomas's.

In the course of an eloquent discourse, he said that it was significant to note that in the Gospels there are certain sayings which suggest that Jesus deliberately tried to focus attention not so much on what He said and what He did as on Himself. He called Himself the Light of the World. Perhaps long familiarity with the sayings of Christ in the Gospels had tended to cause many to miss their profound implications. He thought that it was true to say that the impression left upon us as we read the Gospels is that Jesus wished to focus attention upon His own person, and that that impression depended upon something more than one or two isolated and striking passages. Jesus had a sense of unique relationship to God the Father, and a unique sense of mediatorship between God and man—a sense of relationship to God the Father so unique that it could only be expressed in terms that are equivalent to those tremendous words of the writer of the fourth Gospel—"The Word was God." Christ occupies in Christianity a position which no other religious leader occupies in the religion which he called into being.

A NATAL UNION.

To emphasise His Godhead at the expense of His manhood, or his manhood at the expense of His Godhead, would be to paint a picture of the Christ which would be untrue to all the facts and implications of the New Testament presentation of His person.

Since the Christian Church first thought out the implications of her experience of Jesus, she has consistently refused in her official pronouncements to allow herself to be impaled on the horns of the dilemma—either man or God. Another point to which he (Mr. Purser Shortt) would direct attention is that the study of the writings of the New Testament shows that after the Crucifixion Christians felt themselves still to be in a natal union with Him, distinct in kind from the union which the followers of any other religion might feel to exist between them and their departed leader. Personal relations to Christ continued to be what it had been in the days of His flesh, but more consciously and completely—the all-important feature in the new religion.

Special prayers and thanksgiving in connection with the fifteenth centenary of the coming of St. Patrick to Ireland were offered during the Service.

ORDINATION SERVICE.

The Archbishop of Dublin held an Ordination at Christ Church Cathedral yesterday morning, at which Mr. Reginald K. W. Lowe, B.A., was ordained Deacon for the Parish of North Strand and Drumcondra. The candidate was presented, and the sermon preached by the Archdeacon of Dublin. The Dean of Christ Church was also present.

ABBEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

COMING OF ST. PATRICK.

The fifteenth centenary of the coming of St. Patrick was celebrated in Abbey Presbyterian Church, Dublin, on Sunday, when at the evening Service the Rev. J. C. Breakey, B.A., preached on the subject, "Who was St. Patrick?"

The preacher said that during the present year all shades of religious opinion will be celebrating the coming of St. Patrick. That event was probably the most important event in Irish history. It altered the whole complexion of Ireland's story. To whatever branch of the Christian Church one belonged one must look back with joy and pride to that event. They did well to celebrate it, and they ought to do so without bitterness or controversy, rejoicing in what they knew of this great servant of God, and seeking to have his spirit in their hearts and lives.

Various sections of the Church claimed him as their own, but no existant Church in Ireland is identical with the one which he founded, nor can it claim exclusive right to be its successor.

Patrick was the child of his day, and in his beliefs and practices reflected the religious ideas of the Christian world of the fifth century.

There are certain elements in that faith of which we are sure, and it would be far wiser to concentrate on them and seek to follow them. First and all-important was a deep devotion to the Lordship of Christ. Patrick knew of only one mediator between God and man, the Man Christ Jesus. His writings breathe the most utter love to God in Christ. From that dark hour when as a slave boy he tended his master's flocks, on to that time when we find him a great and successful missionary of the Cross, he acknowledges no other loyalty. Secondly, a great reverence and respect for the Bible as the only guide and authority for faith and practice. Patrick's knowledge of the Scriptures is amazing. From beginning to end his writings are shot through with quotations from them, and everywhere breathe their spirit. Not only so, but he assumes a like familiarity with the Bible on the part of his readers. His converts were evidently expected to know the Bible and to defer to it in all religious matters. The Word of God was sufficient authority, and when he had cited its teaching the last word had been spoken.

The old Ireland which he knew and loved has disappeared, and a new Ireland, which, as far as outward things are concerned, he would not recognise, has arisen in its place. Yet we may well believe that were he in our midst to-day he would desire for our people no other guides than those which sustained him—the fellowship of Christ and the counsel of God's Word.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHURCH.

Taking as his text, "With desolation is the whole land made desolate" (Jeremiah, xii., 11), the Rev. P. J. Gannon, S.J., delivered the fifth of his series of Lenten lectures dealing with the subject of "St. Patrick and the Church he founded," in St. Francis Xavier's Church, Gardiner street, Dublin, yesterday evening.

"The Danes have left a deep impress on our history, and an ineffaceable memory in popular tradition," Father Gannon resumed. It would not be just to say that their influence was wholly evil. To them they owed the foundation of three of their most famous cities and the inauguration of lesser trading centres at Wexford, Youghal, and Cork. They gradually merged with the older population, embraced Christianity, and originated the Sees of Dublin, Waterford, and Limerick. On the other hand, before Ireland could absorb, civilise, and Christianise them, the havoc which the Danes wrought was incalculably great. "Neither Hun nor Vandal, nor Goth ever fell with more devasting fury on the provinces of Rome, leaving civilisation in ruins in their wake," remarked Father Gannon, "than these Danars, as they were called, fell upon Christian Ireland in the ninth and tenth centuries."

During the period between Henry II. and Henry VIII. there were two races fighting to the death—one for domination, the other for existence—and it was obvious that a Church, embracing both peoples, must have met with extraordinary difficulties. It had been said that there was a Norman Church and a Celtic Church functioning side by side. "This," said Father Gannon, "is a dangerous half-truth. There were not two Churches, for there was no difference in doctrine or discipline dividing them. Both people were Catholic and Roman, and both accepted the reforms of the twelfth century. The Church in Ireland survived a long racial feud between the Norman and Celt in a manner little short of miraculous."

Nowhere at any time during this period was there sign of any desire on the part of Celtic Ireland to question the spiritual supremacy of the Pope. Even in the famous *Remonstrance* which Donald O'Neill, King of Ulster, and "the princes and nobles of the Irish people in general," sent to Pope John XXII. in 1315 this was manifest. The document pleaded that Adrian IV., in donating Ireland to Henry II., had acted *ultra vires*, and had been misled by the false propaganda of the English Court. It indicated in burning language the perfidy and cruelty of the Norman rulers in Ireland (including even some ecclesiastical rulers), but it nowhere challenged the supreme authority of Rome in spiritual matters.

"The truth is that Ireland remained almost completely immune from heretical and schismatical tendencies in those otherwise very disturbed ages," concluded the Rev. Father Gannon. "There was no challenge to the reforms of the twelfth century and no denial of Catholic unity. It is, indeed, little short of a moral miracle."

90,000 MEN TO BE ABSORBED.

THE GOVERNMENT'S PLANS.

STATEMENT BY MINISTER FOR JUSTICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
MULLINGAR, Saturday.

IN Mullingar yesterday evening, in connection with a victory celebration meeting held in the Market Square, tar-barrels blazed and the tricolour was much in evidence.

Mr. James Geoghegan, Minister for Justice, said that if they were familiar with the Fianna Fail programme, they knew that it was a programme that required for its successful carrying out men of character, men of courage and patience.

"We propose to provide employment in this country," continued the speaker, "upon lines, and by a method that will prove reproductive for the rest of our lives and for generations to come, by creating a far-reaching change in the agricultural and industrial economy of this country. We will do that as quickly as we can, but we demand, in addition to the confidence that you have reposed in us, your further trust and patience to enable us to do that. You know that it would be comparatively easy for us to imitate our predecessors and borrow large sums to be used in reconstructing roads or to give employment on the Shannon scheme, but we are not going to do that; we are going to put into operation a scheme which we hope and believe will lead to permanent prosperity in this country."

THE INDUSTRIAL EDIFICE.

The speaker, continuing, said that the industrial edifice they proposed to construct in order to absorb the 90,000 unemployed, and the large number that would remain owing to the cessation of emigration, would be completed as quickly as possible.

Proceeding, the Minister said that there was a maxim in law that every citizen is a policeman. True to the policy of the Republican Party, he asked everyone there to

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give a hand in governing this country. They had elected them as a Government, and they would govern.

Referring to the Civic Guard, he said that he had confidence enough in them to believe they would fit themselves in with the national life and national aspirations of this country.

AN INDEPENDENT IRELAND.

Mr. M. J. Kennedy, T.D., said that they were going forward to achieve the goal of the aspirations of Irishmen for centuries—to break the connection between England and this country, and set up an independent Ireland for the 32 counties.

SALVAGE OF M 2.

OPERATIONS NEARLY COMPLETE.

The Submarine M 2 may be raised from the sea bottom at any time now, and the secret of the cause of her disappearance revealed to the Admiralty experts.

Before the vessel will rise, however, 525 tons of water have to be pumped out by means of air compression, and as soon as she has come to the surface she will be towed to a floating dock. Experts will board her immediately to carry out a minute examination.

Special quick-hardening cement has been used by the sixteen naval divers to seal up the giant tomb of the sixty officers and men. Working under tremendous difficulties more than one hundred feet below the surface, their great task has been to fix piping into the cement to allow the pumping of compressed air into the vessel from the Tedworth, the diving ship.

As soon as air is pumped into the hull any of the water-tight doors inside the M 2 which may be closed will be forced by the terrific power of the air.

The water with which the vessel is filled will be squeezed from her by the air, and provision for its outlet has been made with inch-big holes which the divers have drilled through the bottom of the vessel.

The M 2 lies two miles south-west of Portland Bill, with her stern embedded in the mud, on an even keel. Once on the surface she will be lashed to vast tanks called "camels" and brought into harbour.

At Portland everything is ready for the reception of the remains of the crew. In a shed there are the coffins in which the bodies will be placed after they have been identified.

There were no further operations yesterday owing to the weather, and the salvage vessels have had to come nearer shore for shelter.

PREVENTION OF INTEMPERANCE.

The annual meeting of the Irish Association for the Prevention of Intemperance was held in the Board Room, 4 Eustace street, Dublin, Mr. Frederick T. Eason presiding. The report was adopted and officers elected.

At the usual monthly meeting of the Executive, held on Thursday, the secretary reported that the following had consented to become vice-presidents of the Association:—Most Rev. Dr. Mageean, Roman Catholic Bishop of Down and Connor; Right Rev. Dr. Barton, Bishop of Kilmore; and the Rev. F. E. Harte, M.A., President of the Methodist Church in Ireland.

A GLASNEVIN ACCIDENT.

The driver and another occupant of a light motor lorry, which was wrecked when it collided with a tramcar at the junction of Finglas road and Botanic road, Glasnevin, last night, received injuries which necessitated their removal to hospital for treatment. The driver's name is stated to be John Martin, of 5 Redcow, Dublin and that of his companion, John Murrihy, of the same address.

CIVIL SERVICE HOUSING SCHEME.

The Lord Mayor of Dublin laying the first brick for the Civil Service housing scheme at Whitehall, Dublin.

CENSUS OF THE INSANE.

FACTS REVEALED BY FIGURES.

When Ireland had a population of 5,412,377, the number of registered insane (a) in public and private mental hospitals was 7,551; (b) in workhouses, 2,457; total under care 10,008.

In 1911, when the population was 4,390,219, the figures were 21,795 and 2,598, respectively; total under care 24,393; while in 1931, in the Free State only, with an estimated population of 2,959,000, the numbers were 18,579 and 1,505, respectively; total 20,084. The numbers of registered insane to the total population of the whole country under care in 1871 was 1 to 541; and in the Free State in 1931 it was 1 to 147. The figures of the insane at large and not under treatment for 1871 are given as 6,490; 1911, 4,044, while the figures in the Free State for 1931 are not known.

The above figures will be shown in a return which will be presented at a meeting of the Joint Committee of the Grangegorman Mental Hospital on Wednesday next.

In a report accompanying the return, Dr. J. O'C. Donelan, resident medical superintendent, says that it cannot be too strongly emphasised that, while the number of "registered insane" in the mental hospitals and workhouses of Ireland had increased enormously during the periods mentioned, mental hospital treatment was now used to a much greater extent than hitherto, more especially for persons of advanced years suffering from senile decay, who in former years would never have been included amongst the "registered insane." The extent of the actual increase, in any, in insanity in Ireland during the period under review was, therefore, a matter on which there was a divergence of opinion, even amongst competent medical authorities.

Dr. Donelan points out that during the ten years 1894-1903, covered by the Inspector's last special report, the average death-rate in mental hospitals of Ireland was 25 per cent. lower than that of the mental hospitals of England and Wales, so that in the case of Ireland "accumulation" was largely, if not altogether, responsible for the fact that the proportion of "registered insane" to the total population was greater than in England and Wales and other countries. Due to this cause also Belfast had, relatively and actually, a much smaller number of "registered insane" than Dublin.

One form of mental disease was on the decrease—general paralysis of the insane, which in many instances yielded to modern treatment and was being prevented from occurring by the improved treatment of venereal disease. Up to last October the proportion of alcoholic cases had been decreasing steadily, but since then, for some inexplicable reason, they had had an unusually large number of alcoholic admissions. He was of opinion that "heredity" was the main cause of insanity.

THE FIGHT AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS.

"STEADY AND GRADUAL DEFEAT."

"We are witnessing and participating in steady and gradual defeat of a widespread and devastating disease," so states Sir George Newman, Chief Medical Officer to the Ministry of Health, in a report on tuberculosis, which includes an examination of results of sanatorium treatment by Dr. MacNalty, Senior Medical Officer of the Ministry, for tuberculosis.

Sir George adds:—"But we are not yet the victors; the struggle is not an easy one."

The report states that in 1911, 53,120 deaths occurred from tuberculosis. In 1930 there were 35,745 deaths.

Dr. MacNalty describes tuberculosis as one of the penalties levied on mankind for his attainment of a high degree of civilisation, and states that among native races, having little or no dealings with white men, and living under free and open air conditions, tuberculosis is unknown. For the age period, between five and forty-five years of age in England and Wales tuberculosis is to-day the chief "killing" disease. Alcoholic excess favours pulmonary tuberculosis.

It is also stated that the comparative frequency with which pulmonary tuberculosis occurs in men who have rowed at a university, and in athletes generally, may be cited as examples of over-exertion.

In this country an increase, usually well marked in the number of deaths attributed to tuberculosis, is associated with each epidemic of influenza.

THE MEANS TEST.

"CAUSING A GREAT DEAL OF ANXIETY."

Mr. A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty in the Labour Government, speaking on Saturday at Ripley, Derbyshire, at a co-operative demonstration, referred to the Means Test as applied to unemployed seeking transitional benefits. The operation of the Means Test, as it was being applied, was, he said, causing a great deal of anxiety among co-operative members, but he assured them that there was no possible comparison between the present test and the Act which was passed by the late Labour Government to stop abuses of the provision of help to those who needed it. The Act of the Labour Government was never designed to be used for all cases which transitional benefit was sought. In short, it was never intended to throw all applicants under the poor law, but to stop the cases where the law was being abused.

MISSING DUBLIN WOMAN.

The Civic Guards stated last night that they have discovered a clue which, they think, will lead to the discovery of Mrs. Emma Nolan, who has been missing from her home, 180 Parnell street, Dublin, since Wednesday last.

FRANCE'S TRIBUTE TO BRIAND.

INTERNATIONAL HOMAGE AT STATE FUNERAL.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Saturday.

"He was the interpreter of one of the most powerful aspirations of an age of suffering, and this is why the people mourn him as an apostle."

This was one of a series of striking tributes paid to the memory of Aristide Briand by M. Tardieu, the French Premier, in his oration at the national funeral this afternoon of the veteran statesman.

"In the name of France," said M. Tardieu, "before the representatives of 57 nations assembled at Geneva, and before the French people, I salute the mortal remains of Aristide Briand, who, to his own glory and at his own risk, knew how to make the idea of peace a resounding force, and to concentrate in it the aspiration of our times for a new order or things."

The Cardinal Archbishop of Paris gave absolution to the man who for his action in bringing about the separation of Church and State had been excommunicated. Only the President of the Republic, members of M. Briand's family, his immediate friends, and the members of the Government, were present at the Quai d'Orsay for this ceremony.

After the oration outside the building the procession to the little Passy Cemetery, in Place de Trocadéro, formed. First came two mounted detachments of Republican Guards, then some 300 ex-soldiers and a military band, and a number of carriages piled high with magnificent wreaths. The herase was escorted by eight ex-soldiers as pall-bearers, and behind the members of the family and M. Briand's immediate collaborators came the President of the Republic and a group of Ambassadors and Ministers representing the heads of many States. Lord Tyrrell represented King George. Thousands watched the procession.

Later the body will be transferred to a grave on M. Brian's estate at Cocherel.

SIMON'S TALK WITH TARDIEU.

ATTITUDE TO DANUBIAN BLOC.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Saturday.

Sir John Simon had two hours' conversation to-day with M. Tardieu, the French Premier, during which they discussed disarament, the Sino-Japanese situation, and the Danubian *bloc*.

Regarding the economic situation in Central and Danubian Europe, a *communiqué* states that they agreed, as in all other matters, that co-operation between France and Great Britain should extend over a large field, with the double object of appeasing the political rivalries of Europe and accelerating economic reconstruction.

SCENE OUTSIDE A GLASGOW CHURCH.

CROWDS CHARGED BY POLICE.

Extraordinary scenes were witnessed outside a church in George street, Glasgow, last night, when the police were compelled to draw their batons, and several people were injured in a disturbance between Roman Catholics and Protestants.

The trouble started when a large number of Roman Catholics who were marching down George street encountered members of the Scottish Protestant League, who were standing in a queue awaiting admission to the Protestant Forum.

As the Catholics were passing the door of the church stones and bottles were thrown, and several shop windows were smashed.

THE DARTMOOR MUTINY.

CASE TO BE HEARD ON WEDNESDAY.

Arrangements were completed yesterday for the hearing in Princetown Town Hall of the charges against thirty-two convicts alleged to have been involved in the Dartmoor Prison mutiny. The proceedings open on Wednesday before a full Court of Justices, who will sit behind a specially constructed table on the raised stage of the hall.

The dock which has been installed is a large wooden structure, about ten feet wide. It contains ten rows of benches, capable of seating eighty people, and the front, which extends for about twenty feet, faces the well of the court, where, occupying half the floor space of the hall, are the tables for counsel and the officials of the Court. A large wooden screen will guard the convicts from the gaze of members of the general public, for whom there is accommodation for about 120 at the back of the court.

Under a heavy guard of warders and police the men will be brought from the prison in closed cars, and driven around to the back of the hall.

Mr. Samuel T. T. James, who, at the instance of the Prison Reform and Poor Persons' Defence Society, is defending some of the convicts, spent the whole of Saturday interviewing his clients in the prison.

Mr. William James Smith, head of the firm of Messrs. Gamble and Smith, muslin manufacturers, Leigh, Lancashire, and twice Mayor of Leigh, died yesterday, aged seventy-six.

THE SCREEN.

BRITISH FILMS ADVANCE.

NEW OPERA TITLES TO APPEAR.

THE annual report of the Cinematograph Exhibitors' Association shows the new importance achieved by British films during the past year. During 1931 no fewer than 145 British made films were shown as parts of the ordinary programmes in the British Isles, and this number constituted nearly a quarter of the total number of films available for such purposes. During the year the proportion of British films in an average programme amounted to 20 per cent., although the proportion which is compulsory under the Film Quota law is only 7½ per cent. It is certainly a sign of change when the cinemas of these islands are voluntarily using three times as much British made films as the law in Great Britain demands. To that extent, anyhow, the monopoly of Hollywood has been broken, and this year will probably show a much more extensive breach. So far as can be ascertained now, it seems likely the the output of films from British studios this year will be nearly double that of 1931, and there is every probability that 1932 will show that more than 200 British made films have found their places in the ordinary programmes of British and Irish cinemas with a large proportion in America.

NEW OPERA TITLES.

A series of short films based upon popular operas is soon to be produced in Hollywood, but it is doubted if those who love the operas will be able to identify them under their new names. Already one of the most popular operas has been filmed under the title of "Gipsy Blood," but no one will be able to know that "Carmen" is hidden under the title "The Idol of Seville." The delightful "Martha" is to be screened under the title "Ladies' Escapade," and "Faust" is to become "Walpurgis Night." It is very difficult to understand why the tremendous "box-office appeal" of these well-known operas is to be sacrificed; but what appeals to the "hicks" and the "rubes" who are the norm of Hollywood cannot be comprehended in this older and more sophisticated world. Fifty years of Europe cannot be set in the balance against the million dollars of Idaho, and so the standard of screen entertainment must be that which is certain to appeal to Idaho and likely to attract enough money to pay its way in other parts of the world. Titles that are worth much money in the theatres and opera houses of Europe mean little or nothing to the Carolinas and the Idahos, but it is probable that Europe will have its chances to see these operatic films in due time.

MATRIMONIAL DIFFICULTIES.

The leading items in the programme at the Savoy this week is an entertaining film suffused with a warm humanity. "Married in Haste" is full of delightful humanity, and the touch is so light that what might easily have degenerated into sheer sentimentality becomes just a tolerant view of youth in love. The leading characters, a journalist and a young woman who keeps a shop, are both unfortunate in their first loves, and drift into marriage in the belief that first love is the most durable. When both are faced with a return to that first love they discover that it was but a fleeting fancy. The name of the author of this story, William Cunningham, looks very small when placed beside the large lettering of even the maker of clothes, but it is to him that "Married in Haste" owes its value as entertainment. Irene Dunne and Pat O'Brien make attractive lovers, who are unaware of their love. At the organ Mr. Philip Dore gives a splendid selection from Mendelssohn, as the second of his "Masters of Music" series.

At the Grafton "My Wife's Family" is to continue its triumphant run for a sixth week. Probably the greatest tribute that could be offered by the public has been offered to this film; the attendance in the fifth week was greater than in the first. Nearly everyone in the film business seems to have been taken by surprise by the marked success of "My Wife's Family," and it has certainly established the Irish comedian, Gene Gerrard, in the very forefront of screen fun-makers. The popularity of the film with Dublin folk has been so great that Gene Gerrard's next film will be eagerly anticipated.

TALLULAH BANKHEAD.

The idol of the London gallery, Tallulah Bankhead, makes her second appearance on the screen in "My Sin," which is the principal film in the Capitol programme this week. She is again something of the "tarnished lady," this time the hostess of a shady cabaret in Panama, which is apparently the American version of "East of Suez." She is arrested on a murder charge, but is rescued by a broken-down lawyer, who secures her acquittal. In their joint effort to attain to respectability, and just as they have very nearly succeeded in establishing themselves, fate again plays one of its cruel tricks. The lady is once more assisted by the lawyer, and all may be right in the next story. There is the usual full supporting programme, and the Capitolians offer an entirely novel stage presentation entitled "Naval Frolics."

At the Sackville for the first four days of the week Gracie Fields will be seen and heard in that exceedingly entertaining film, "Sally in our Alley." From Thursday to Saturday the programme will be headed by "The Gay Diplomat," in which Ivan Lebedeff appears with Betty Compson and Genevieve Tobin.

IS IT SPITE?

At the Corinthian an interesting question will be raised in the minds of all who see "The Virtuous Wife," which is the leading feature in this week's varied programme there. The lady in the case is jilted by the sporting cadet with whom she has been flirting and marries the Colonel, who had taken the young man as his *protégé*. For a moment it looks as if she has married the Colonel in spite, but later it appears that she has done so in the "truest of true love." Having done her best to prevent the cadet from marrying her sister, it again appears as if the virtuous wife had smashed the young man's career out of pure sisterly affection. "The Range Feud," with Buck Jones and Susan Fleming, presents a fast and furious cowboy drama.

At the Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire, for the first three days of the week Lupino Lane appears to great advantage in "No Lady." This is a riot of fun, set in the jolly surroundings of Blackpool, which will keep the audiences laughing all the time. From Thursday to Saturday the principal item in a varied and interesting programme will be another funny Lupino Lane film, "Love Lies. In the earlier part of the week "Hell Bent for 'Frisco" will be presented, and in the later programme Sir Harry Lauder will be seen and heard in two of his popular songs.

At the Metropole there is a double-feature programme which should appeal to all classes. A "talkie" version of Zane Grey's popular novel, "Riders of the Purple Sage," presents George O'Brien in his usual vivacious style. The second film, "Their Mad Moment," presents Dorothy Mackaill and Warner Baxter in a Riviera drama of love and intrigue. There is the usual supporting programme.

ORDINATIONS AT CLONLIFFE COLLEGE.

At the Ordinations held in Holy Cross College, Clonliffe, recently the Bishop of Thasos (the Most Rev. Dr. Wall) conferred the following Orders:—

Priesthood—The Rev. J. McCarthy, C.M.

Deaconship—The Rev. C. Toland, O.M.I.

Sub-Deaconship—The Rev. E. Crosby, Clonliffe College; the Rev. K. Cronin, C.M.; the Rev. A. Costello, O.P.; the Rev. E. McVeigh, O.P.; the Rev. R. McCourt, O.P., and the Rev. C. Coyne, O.P.

Exorcist and Acolyte—J. Scollard, O.M.I.; T. Conway, O.M.I.; P. McDonnell, O.M.I.; A. O'Connor, O.M.I.; H. Ward, O.M.I.

Porter and Lector—J. O'Donoghue, Clonliffe College; T. Price, O.C.C.

Tonsure—J. O'Donoghue, Clonliffe College; J. Hurley, Clonliffe College; E. Mansfield, Clonliffe College; D. Kelleher, Clonliffe College; J. Flynn, Clonliffe College; T. Price, O.C.C.

FUNERAL OF MR. T. PICTON BRADSHAW.

The funeral of Mr. T. Picton Bradshaw, of Mount Temple, Clontarf, took place on Saturday to St. Fintan's, Sutton. Canon J. Connell, Rector of Clontarf, and the Rev. T. Neligan conducted a short Service at Mount Temple, after which the *cortège* proceeded to St. Fintan's, where the Service was conducted by Canon Connell and the Rev. John Powell.

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IRISHMAN'S DIARY.

Swedish Sweeps : Motor Cars : Air Mail in 1850. Fan-Lights : A Free Film.

A Free Film.

While cycling in the neighbourhood of Upper Rathmines one evening recently (writes a correspondent), I came upon a crowd of people collected outside a private house. As the road, especially at night time, is rather deserted, the crowd was more or less in the nature of a surprise—particularly as it was not confined to the footway, but overflowed into the garden in front. Dismounting from my bicycle, I was amused to find that the cause of the gathering was apparent upon the linen window blind, upon which a film was being shown from within. Those lucky enough to pass the house thus had a free entertainment, but one can imagine the consternation of the occupier of the house if he had opened the hall-door to find a silent audience enjoying his picture.

The Old Car.

It is only by looking at an old newspaper or photograph that one realises how much progress has been made within recent years in the design of motor cars. Recently I came across a number of boys who were as highly amused at a picture of a serious-looking gentleman driving an early model "flivver" as their sisters might have been at a picture of a lady wearing a long, sweeping skirt and a bonnet. Yet those of us who drove in the cars of ten or twelve years ago asked nothing better. It must be very difficult to keep up-to-date in the matter of a motor car nowadays. I have heard a story about an ill-tempered motorist whose rather ancient car developed engine trouble in a quiet country lane. He pulled up at a small cottage, and, while he was working at his engine, a very old man hobbled out on a stick and stood looking at the car. The motorist, becoming irritated, turned round at last and asked: "Is this the first car you ever saw?" "No," the old man answered, "it is not. But it's not unlike it."

A Curious Parallel.

The career of the late Aristide Briand furnishes a curious parallel with that of Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, who seems rapidly to be becoming his English counterpart.

Briand was the son of Breton parents and passed his early years in a Breton fishing village. At one period it seemed certain that he must join the village fishing fleet, but, after a terrific struggle against his family, he succeeded in persuading a local newspaper to accept his services. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, as everyone knows, was born in Lossiemouth, but it is not so generally known that he had a fierce battle against the wish of his parents that he should become a fisherman. It was to escape this doom that he recklessly accepted a job as an invoice clerk in a London warehouse. Like Briand, at this time he was hoping to make a career for himself as a journalist, and had scored several successes as a short story writer.

There is a second parallel in their careers in that each severed his association with the Socialist parties at a time of national crisis. Briand's severance was intended to prevent a national strike.

Sweeps in Sweden.

A Swedish business man has given me some interesting facts on the working of the Swedish State lotteries and the objects to which the annual income—running into many millions of kroner—is devoted. These lotteries, I learnt, have been conducted by the State with great success for the past thirty-five years; the initial experiment was made in 1897 for the financing of the Stockholm Exhibition of that year. From the total net income derived annually in this way, the State through taxation gets an average harvest of eight million kroner and the various "cultural" groups something over six million. These latter appropriations are of the greatest financial assistance to cultural institutions in Sweden, and the largest of them goes to the section that includes theatres, music and art. The Royal Dramatic Theatre, an imposing marble building in the heart of Stockholm, was built entirely with funds derived from no less than twenty-five draws, and the Royal Opera House, also in the Swedish capital, sprang from the same foundations. Many local museums for perpetuating handicrafts and the tradition of craftmanship; archæological and other expeditions; the Swedish Olympic Games, and the Swedish Aircraft Society are other organisations which benefit from the yearly sweeps.

Britain's First Air Mail.

Most people would, I think, be surprised to learn that the first English air mail was carried as far back as eighty-two years ago. This was the balloon post sent out by the British Admiralty in 1850. Five years earlier Sir John Franklin had set out on his voyage to discover an easy passage round the north coast of America, and, when 1846 and 1847 passed without any tidings of the gallant seaman, no fewer than twenty-five expeditions were sent from Great Britain and from the United States to find him. An Englishman called Shepherd suggested that news might be carried to the lost explorers by means of balloons. He sent to the Arctic a whole wagon-load of balloons, and with them small slips of soft paper, light green in colour, printed by a hand-press on one side in black and on the reverse in red. In black was set forth the message: "Despatched——by a balloon from H.M.S.——in Lat.——N., Long.——W., to Sir John Franklin," and on the other side of the card the legend was: "Provisions left at——. Steering for——. Intending to winter at——or in the vicinity of——."

When, in 1850, the ships of the British Admiralty under Captain Austin were ice-bound in Assistance Bay, many of these balloons with their accompanying messages were sent out, but, unfortunately, none reached the right hands.

Fan-Lights.

I was interested to read in the Diary (writes a correspondent) of the mention of fan-light displays—a custom so prevalent in days gone by that no house was without some such ornament. With regard to the remark that "white horses are predominant," the reason for this display can be traced as far back as the Battle of the Boyne. "King Billy" is always depicted as mounted on a spirited white steed, and since then the white horse has been a symbol displayed by his followers—*vide* every second wall in Belfast and Portadown. When I was young—more years ago than I care to remember—that was the definite meaning of the "white horse display" in fan-lights; but the custom has long since outgrown its origin.

QUIDNUNC.

AWAITING THEIR TURN.

Girl clerks of the Foreign Section dressed in native costumes of other lands for the occasion of the draw in the Irish sweepstake on the Grand National, which starts at the Plaza, Middle Abbey street, Dublin, this morning. Note the drum in the background.

NOTES FROM THE "NATIONAL."

MEETINGS OF SENATE AND CONVOCATION.

At the meeting of the Senate of the University on Thursday last Dr. T. J. Nolan was elected to the Chair of Chemistry in University College, Dublin. This appointment of Professor Nolan, B.A., D.Sc., who also is State Analyst, is most popular.

Degrees on published work were awarded—the D.Litt. to the Reverend J. Ryan, S.J., M.A., and the M.D. to Dr. P. J. Kerley, both of whom are graduates of University College, Dublin, well known in their respective spheres of literature and medicine. The Boyne Memorial Scholarship for 1931 has fallen to Mr. John Kent, M.A., a very prominent figure in College. Mr. Kent last year was auditor of the Literary and Historical Debating Society. Those who attended the debate in Irish held in 85 St. Stephen's Green last Saturday night, when the motion before the House, "Gur gluaiseacht chumhung neamh-thorthumhail gluaiseacht na Gaedhilge," was heavily defeated, were, perhaps, reminded that it was during his auditorship that the Society's first Irish debate took palce. This innovation has become a custom under the present auditor, Mr. O Dalaigh, and now it is usual in the Society to have at least one Irish debate every term.

To-day the Historical Society holds its first inaugural meeting. The meeting will take place in the Physics Theatre, Earlsfort terrace. Dr. Coffey, the President of University College, will take the chair at 8 p.m., when Professor Eoin MacNeill, D.Litt., will deliver a lecture on "Saint Patrick." Speakers to the paper will include the Rev. John Ryan, S.J., M.A.; Professor J. M. O'Sullivan, M.A., Ph.D., T.D.; Professor Mary Hayden, M.A.; the Rev. Paul Walsh, M.A., and Mr. P. F. Donovan, M.A. Professor O'Sullivan, who holds the Chair of Modern History in College, is to be welcomed on his resuming of his professional duties. Incidentally, he has been chosen by the Senate to represent the University at the seventh International Congress of Historical Sciences, to be held in Warsaw next year.

DR. E. MACNEILL.

SUCCESSFUL FUNCTIONS.

St. Patrick figured last week also in the lecture which Professor Chauviré delivered to the French Society at its inaugural. He contrasted the "Barde de Temrah" of Leconte de Lisle with the real St. Patrick, and found the poet wanting considerably in his conception of the Saint. De Lisle very evidently was not acquainted with the spirit of Oisin or with the Gaelic civilisation, and, therefore, he was not qualified to lyricise about them. M. Alphand, the French Minister, proposed the vote of thanks, and Miss E. Byrne seconded.

CONVOCATION RESOLUTIONS.

A number of resolutions were considered by graduates at the meeting of Convocation last night. It was announced by Mr. J. V. Bourke, B.Comm., that the Governing Body of University College, Dublin, had granted permission to have a Kevin Barry Memorial erected within the precincts of the College. The memorial, long-awaited by the students, is to take the form of a stained-glass window, which will be placed on the right-hand side of the Main Hall leading to the restaurant. Mr. Bourke also proposed a resolution recommending the establishment in University College, Dublin, of a university printing press. This, indeed, is a need that might seriously be considered by the College authorities; for to be without a press is a bad handicap in the intellectual progress of a university. Dr. J. C. Flood seconded the resolution, which was passed unanimously.

Dr. D. O'Sullivan proposed a resolution expressing sympathy with students in Spain who have been deprived of the educational services of the Jesuit Order. Professor Stockley, of University College, Cork, seconded. Dr. Flood, who opposed the motion, said that the matter did not concern the university. The voting resulted in 32 in favour of the motion and three against. A tribute to Dr. Douglas Hyde was made when Convocation unanimously passed a resolution recording its deep appreciation of his brilliant and unselfish work on behalf of the Irish language.

To-morrow the Pro Fide Society will hold a meeting, when the Rev. A. Gwynn, S.J., M.A., B.Litt., will read a paper on "The Church and State in Spain."

On Wednesday the Literary and Historical will stage an Irish Inter-University debate. The motion, which is: "That Irishmen are Intolerant," will be debated in the Council Chamber at 8 p.m. Representatives from Trinity College, Dublin, Queen's University, Belfast, and the University Colleges of Galway, Cork and Dublin will take part. The Queen's representative will commence the debate in favour, supported by the Trinity representative and Mr. R. Dunne, of U.C.D., while the Cork and Galway delegates and Mr. C. O Dalaigh, of U.C.D., will oppose. A temporary committee has been appointed to look after the arrangements for the occasion, composed of Messrs. R. Dunne, J. F. Kenny, V. de Valera, K. Kenny, D. O'Donohue and Miss M. O'Dwyer.

Mr. Liam O Buachalla's paper on "The effect of protective tariffs on the working classes" was followed with close interest by members of An Cumann Gaodholach last week. Mr. O Buachalla, who is Lecturer in Commerce through the medium of Irish in University College, Galway, stressed the need of strong protective tariffs and the establishment of factories.

Another point of view was to be heard at the inaugural meeting of the Commerce Society last week. Mr. A. Sheahan well deserves to be congratulated for what was a most interesting meeting. The pivotal point of his paper was that in Ireland true national industrial development was retarded by the lack of protection for Irish capital. He favoured, in combination with the imposition of tariffs, the establishment of a central bank.

On Wednesday the Rowing Club holds the annual novices' pairs contest. The number engaged this year is far in excess of the number of competitors in previous years.

The Hurling and Camogie junior teams travelled to Belfast last week-end to play against Queen's. The 1st Hockey team has just returned therefrom.

Finally, there is the Swimming Club, which at present is as active as can be. To-morrow will see the result of the fifty yards championship, and on Wednesday the winner of the 220 is to be announced. The Novices' Championships will take place early next term.

Even if one were not very much of a linguist, one could go from Professor Chauviré's lecture on Tuesday to Professor Mary Macken's lecture on "Goethe" on Thursday, and really enjoy both. In the course of a very interesting lecture Professor Macken showed how, even for thirty years before his death—he was 83 when he died—Goethe had won the admiration of all Europe. In 1801 it was the opinion of the critics of the new school that poetic genius in its perfection had been possessed by only four men, and that one of them was Goethe, the other three being Homer, Shakespeare and Cervantes.

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KINGSTOWN GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

INTERNATIONAL HOCKEY DANCE.

Under the auspices of the members of the Kingstown Grammar School Past and Present Hockey Club, a dance was held last Saturday night in the Metropole Ballroom, Dublin. The function was in celebration of the international match, Ireland v. England, held during the afternoon, and among the gathering were noticed the members of both teams.

There were present:—Miss Fullwood, who wore a stylish black velvet gown. Miss Meek was in a lovely gold lace and net *ensemble;* a pretty grey frock was worn by Miss Cook. Mrs. Webb was gowned in a smart black toilette. Miss Ralston's gown was of beige lace; a charming rose coloured lace frock was worn by Miss Egan, while Miss Adamson favoured a soft white net frock. A becoming white satin gown was worn by Mrs. Platt, while Miss Platt was wearing a chic toilette of blue lace, and Miss O'Connor chose a pretty green satin frock.

Also present were:—Mrs. H. W. Burland, Mr. J. E. Bates, Mr. E. Williams, Mr. Whitney, Mr. S. Varian, Mr. Wilson, Mr. H. Parker, Mr. W. Ritchie, Mr. E. O'Flynn, Mr. Hewitt, Mr. T. G. Hudson, Captain Gamble, Mr. Gibson, Mr. J. McCullagh, Mr. T. E. Maxwell, Mr. E. W. Massey, Mr. Laton, Mr. M. J. Lindsay, Mr. P. Kelly, Mr. Wilson Kelly, Mr. M. E. Dwyer, Mr. V. Ward, Mr. E. F. Duke (hon. sec.), Mr. Burney, Mr V. King-Farlow, Mr. R. Y. Fison, Mr. J. McKenzie-Booth (President, Scottish Hockey Association), Mr. A. Ogilvy, (England), Mr. G. D. Calder, Miss Manley, Mr. Manley, Mr. Bean, Mrs. C. Dreyer, Mr. Worrell.

INTER-DEBATE ON NATIONALITY.

The subject "That we are too conscious of our nationality" was discussed at 18 Parnell square, Dublin, on Saturday night, at an inter-debate between the Technical Students' Literary and Debating Society and the Clontarf Catholic Literary Society.

The students took the affirmative side and the visitors the negative. The motion was lost by twenty-nine votes to twenty.

The speakers were Messrs. M. Nolan, J. Ryan, S. Norris, C. Collins, Paul Callan, P. Farrell, M. J. Cosgrave and J. D. Donovan, Mr. G. J. F. Clampett presided.

MOTHER PRESENTS CUP.

Presentation College, Bray, beat Dominican College, Newbridge, in the final of the Leinster Schools Senior Rugby Cup at Lansdowne road, Dublin, last Saturday. The photograph shows Mrs. Doyle presenting the cup to her son, who captained the winning team.

FAREWELL AUDIENCE TO FREE STATE MINISTER.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Saturday.

Professor Daniel Binchy, the Irish Free State Minister to Germany, was given a farewell audience by President von Hindenburg to-day.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

SWEEPSTAKES AND MEDICAL RESEARCH.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The suggestion made by Dr. Henry Moore for providing funds for medical research in Ireland, by means of the hospital sweepstakes, has not been altogether neglected. The General Council of the Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland has prepared a scheme whereby this might be done, and is at present awaiting a favourable opportunity to ask the Minister for Justice to receive a deputation which would lay this scheme before him.—Yours, etc.,

T. P. C. KIRKPATRICK,
General Secretary.

6 Kildare street, Dublin,
March 12th, 1932

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND APPEALS. THE CENTRAL CATHOLIC LIBRARY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The number of sympathetic messages which have reached us from every quarter, and notably the kind and appreciative tone of the Dublin daily Press, in reference to the disaster to our Library, is not only an alleviation of our sense of loss, but, even more than that, is a guarantee of widespread readiness to help, and the foundation of a hope that out of our loss may gain arise.

Ten years ago zealous Catholics who understood the value and the dangers of the written word, deeply convinced that a Central Catholic Library, a hive of truth, is an essential of Catholic action, established it with the blessing of His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin, who has never ceased to sustain it by constant practical evidences of interest and good-will. Two cardinals and an archbishop are among the founders. The Library has no endowment of any kind, and from the start has had as its only dependence the contributions of the few Catholics who realised its importance to the faith of the nation. It has been splendidly helped by the devoted and assiduous labours of a faithful band of men and women who have given without stint and without emolument their time to its service.

The Library had grown till disaster fell upon it last Wednesday, to a total of 16,500 volumes, not merely curiosities of bibliography, but in the main useful, actual, readable working books. The representatives of foreign nations in the Saorstat enriched it with many valuable books and periodicals, and from individual benefactors, who knew from personal experience the value and importance of books, came many donations. How much the community at large appreciated the boon of the Library was proved by the advantage taken of its free-to-all service by those for whose benefit it was founded. The readers totalled rather over 2,000 every month, the majority being especially appreciative of its being open in the evenings up to 10 o'clock.

The Library was never adequately housed. Starting in a very cramped space, it carried on its energies in makeshift premises till it moved into Hawkins street. Now it is reduced to semi-ruin. For a time, therefore, its good work may be suspended, but only for a time—it is hoped for a very short time. That depends upon the public. The present need, the urgent need, is for money. It will be welcome in small sums or in great. Donors of £25 are called founders and a donation of £10 makes the giver a life-member. Annual subscribers are needed to maintain the work from year to year, but all contributions, however small, will be welcomed for the work of reconstruction. All donations should be sent to the Treasurer, W. B. Joyce, Esq., 1 Ezra road, Rathmines, by whom they will be acknowledged. Prompt financial help will make its renewed existence possible and permanent. The labourers are still there, willing and eager to resume their self-denying task, if the money is forthcoming.

It would be easy to reinforce this appeal by heaping up arguments to prove the special importance of the Library in these days of paganism and indifference to religion. No one will deny that it is a great Christian work to make accessible books of this kind. There are in this country thousands who are engaged in one or other form of Catholic action, so frequently recommended by the Holy Father. They will easily recognise the importance of promoting the activities of the Library as being in full accordance with the Pope's desires. Those who cannot help actively can help to put it in working order again, and this time in surroundings worthy of its important mission as the Library of the Faith in this year of the Eucharistic Congress.—Yours, etc.,

JAMES J. DEMPSEY, P.P., President.
The Central Catholic Library, 18 Hawkins street, Dublin, March 12th, 1932.

DR. BRONTE.

Dr. Bronte, the pathologist, who is seriously ill with heart trouble in Middlesex Hospital, was last night reported to be worse. His condition is giving rise to grave anxiety.

IN THE DUBLIN THEATRES.

A COMEDY BY LADY LONGFORD.

"Old Man Murphy," which met with some considerable success in the United States, is being presented at the Gaiety Theatre this week, with Arthur Sinclair and Maire O'Neill in the leading *rôles*, supported by Margaret Cochran, S. Grenville Darling, John Gerant, Fred. O'Donovan and others. Written by Patrick Kearney and H. W. Gribble, this play was a decided "laugh-getter" in New York, and, if you liked "Abie's Irish Rose," you will enjoy "Old Man Murphy."

An attractive vaudeville programme is announced for the Theatre Royal, and includes some well-known acts. The light comedian, Randolph Sutton, who will be remembered for his wireless broadcasts, tops the bill. "The Charladies," a medley of songs and dances, is presented by Connie Crighton, Olga Zita, Nancy Collins, Dorothy Astra and Jennie Gregson; Nat Mills and Bobbie—"The Rare Pair"—in comedy songs and dancing; a spectacular act by The Weldanos; Lee Donn and his concert "grand"; a comedy cartoonist, Van Dock; the Brent Brothers, depicting the poetry of motion; comedy patter and songs by Sort and Dalziel; and, finally, the Movietone News.

On Tuesday evening the Gate Theatre will make the first production of "Queens and Emperors," a satirical comedy in modern style, with scenes laid in ancient Rome and Jerusalem during the reign of the Emperor Vespasian. It has been written by the Countess of Longford, and the large cast presenting the play will include Micheal MacLiammhoir, Meriel Moore, Coralie Carmichael, Betty Chancellor, R. E. Goddard and Hilton Edwards, who is also directing the production.

A comedy revue, "One Big Smile," with Jimmie Leslie playing the lead, is being presented at the Olympia. Others who will appear in the production include Maie Barrie, George Davenport, Lesa Lloyd, the Smile Girls, Savre Savona, the Buckleys, Horace Adams, Flora McCormack and the Crazy Four.

GREEK IDEALS AND THEIR DECLINE.

At a meeting of the College Classical Society at Trinity College, Dublin, on Friday night, Mr. D. Graham read a paper on "Greek Ideals—their rise and fall in Greek History."

The ideals which we regard as Greek, said the essayist, found their best expression in Athens between the ends of the fifth and sixth centuries B.C. They first appeared with the law-givers, like Solon, who opposed law to nature, and reason to prejudice and tradition. The age of reason which followed shewed as its central themes, freedom, equality, justice, law, and truth, and in addition to these intellectual ideals, a quality of "reasonable fairmindedness" in its citizens, a belief in the innate justice of the individual man, which gave rise to the extreme freedom in the Athenian state.

Two things caused the disappearance of these ideals—conservatism and blind belief that privileges, in some form, was right and natural.

Even at their best, Athenian ideals were to be found wanting from a modern point of view; the Greeks countenanced slavery, they despised and ignored foreigners as "barbarians," and they took no thought for the growth of industrialism and exploitation.

IRISHMAN'S APPOINTMENT.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Sunday.

Mr. T. E. Coade, M.A., who has been appointed Headmaster of Bryanston School, Blandford, Dorset, on the retirement of Mr. J. G. Jeffeys, was born in Dublin, and his father, the late Rev. C. E. Coade, belonged to a well-known Ulster family.

For the past nine years Mr. Coade has been an assistant master at Harrow School, and at the age of 35 he becomes one of the youngest public school headmasters. He was educated at Harrow, the Royal Military College and Christ Church, Oxford, where he passed with distinction in the honours school of English literature. He played golf for Oxford University, and was spare man for two years against Cambridge.

Bryanston School, which was founded in 1927, is one of the most interesting recent experiments in public school education. Its main aim has been described as the preparation of boys for the business of life and a life of business. The Earl of Shaftesbury, Chairman; the Bishop of Salisbury, the Bishop of Liverpool, the Master of Marlborough College, the Headmaster of Winchester, Sir Harry Peat and Sir Percy G. Mackinson, Chairman of Lloyd's, are the present Governors.

ON THE WIRELESS

THE GRILLER STRING QUARTET.

THE Griller String Quartet will give a concert of Chamber music at 9.40 this evening from the National Station, in which Claire Croiza will be the soloist. The programme will include Quartet in C (K. 465), Mozart; Quartet No. 2 (Op. 10), Kodaly; and Quartet No. 8 (Biscay), John B. McEwen. The last-named quartet is the best known of fourteen written by Sir John McEwen, Principal of the Royal Academy of Music, in the South of France. The work is descriptive of the life and scenery of the region. The second quartet to be played in the programme is an unusual one, by Kodaly. His name is associated with cheerful music, but in this work he has struck a melancholy note, which is relieved occasionally by passages of tense excitement. The musical listener may detect that the instruments are often used in groups of two, either the violins set off against the viola and 'cello, or the inner voices against the outer. Sometimes the first violin and viola join with the second and 'cello responding. There are movements where all four are independent.

For those listeners not interested in Chamber music there is an excellent play, "Bill's Grand National," all about the "Browns of 'Owdham," which will be broadcast from the National Station at 8 o'clock.

OTHER ATTRACTIONS.

DUBLIN.

From 2.0 Names of Drawers of Horses in the Irish Hospitals' Sweepstake.

BELFAST.

9.45—Children's Concert. 9.40 to 11.0—Chamber Music.

NORTH REGIONAL.

6.30—Northern Studio Orchestra. 7.45—The Rodewald Society's Concert.

NATIONAL.

8.0—"Bill's Grand National," by Edwin Lewis. 9.40—Chamber Music.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMMES.

DUBLIN (2RN)—413 Metres.

1.30-2.0—Time Signal, Stock Exchange List, Weather Forecast and Concert.
2. 0—Until the end of Draw: Names of Drawers of Horses in Irish Hospitals' Sweep in Grand National.
6.0—Concert.
6.15—Iolfr i dTir na nOg.
7. 0—Concert.
7.20—News.
7.30—Time; Gaedhilg—Sile Ni Dhubhgain.
7.45—Talk to Farmers: "Seed Mixtures," M. J. Gorman, A.R.C.Sc.I.
8. 0—Station Sextet.
8.15—Edie O'Dwyer (soprano).
8.25—Patrick Oakley (violin).
8.40—Thomas Oakley (tenor).
8.50—Liam Andrews (pipes).
9. 0—Mary O'Hea and Company: "The Visitor," a play, in one act, by Vera Arlett.
9.30—Sponsored Programme.
10.30—Time, News, Weather Forecast and close down.

BELFAST—242.3 Metres (1,238 Kc.).

10.15-10.30—The Daily Service.
12. 0—George Newell (Organ).
12.45—Daventry National Programme.
3.45—Children's Concert.
4.45—Dance Music.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
5.55—Agricultural Market Prices for Northern Ireland.
6. 0—Daventry National Programme.
8. 0—"Bill's Grand National," by Edwin Lewis.
9. 0—Daventry National Programme.
9.15—Regional News.
9.30—"The Unknown Island"—XI.
9.40-11.0—Chamber Music.

NORTH REGIONAL—479.2 Metres (626 Kc.).

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30-10.45—Daventry National Programme.
12. 0—Ernest Parsons and his Orchestra.
1. 0—Reginald Dixon (Organ).
1.45-3.0—The Midland Studio Orchestra.
3.45—Daventry National Programme.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—First General News.
6.30—The Northern Studio Orchestra.
7.45—The Rodewald Society's Concert.
8.30—Reading from the Studio.
8.45—Concert (continued).
9.40—Miss Avice Trench: "Housing Problems."
10. 0—Gramophone Records.
10.15—Second General News.
10.35—Dance Music.
11. 0-12.0—Daventry National Programme.

NATIONAL—1,554.4 Metres (193 Kc.).

10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30-10.45—Time, Shipping Forecast.
12. 0—A Light Classical Concert.
12.45—The Commodore Grand Orchestra.
1.45—"Hints from Other Cooks"—XI.
2. 5—Gramaphone Records.
2.25—For the Schools.
3.45—Sibyl Gould (violin), Josephine Lewis (pianoforte).
4.15—Moschetto and his Orchestra.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—The First News.
6.30—The Foundations of Music.
6.50-7.20—"New Books," by Desmond MacCarthy.
7.30—"How has the State met the Change?"—V.
8. 0—"Bill's Grand National," by Edwin Lewis.
9. 0—"The Second News."
9.15—Shipping Forecast; New York Stock Market Report.
9.20—"The Unknown Island"—XI.
9.40—Chamber Music.
11. 0-12.0—Dance Music.

A SOUTHERN LETTER.

The Fishing Outlook : Cork's desire for a "Place in the Sun" : Antiquaries to visit County Cork : Last Week's Oratorio.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

CORK, Sunday.

ONE might almost say that rain is the normal state of affairs in the South of Ireland, and certainly the prolonged spell of drought has had something of the unnatural about it. If the weather had been pleasant, nobody would have objected; but grey skies and a cold wind are another matter, and probably most people were rather glad to see the rain again last week. It only lasted for a short spell, however, and at the time of writing the weather is just as dry and chilly as ever.

The anglers would certainly give a good deal for a return to more familiar conditions, as the rivers are very low. A few weeks ago the fishing prospects were very bright, especially as regards salmon, but until the weather breaks these hopes have little prospect of being realised. What makes it all the more annoying is the fact that spring fish are known to be in the harbours in great numbers, only awaiting their chance to come up the rivers.

On the other hand, the net fishermen are having the time of their lives, and great hauls of salmon are being taken in Cork Harbour. For the past month catches have totalled 4,441 fish, as against 3,703 for the corresponding period of last year.

CIVIC PRIDE.

Government in this country has often been criticised on the ground that too much authority is centred in Dublin and that the provinces are given little chance of managing their own affairs. There may be some truth in this, but it is a curious fact that several provincial centres in the South have recently begun to take a keener interest in themselves, and are becoming very much concerned in pushing themselves forward.

Cork, of course, has always been notorious for its desire to obtain a "place in the sun," but there are distinct signs that Limerick is acquiring the same point of view. The recent Civic Carnival in that town and the big scheme for port development show that it intends to employ every means to better its own position.

Even the smaller centres have been showing the same individualism, and Christmas "shopping weeks" are now a regular feature in many of the country towns in County Cork. Kinsale, in particular, is showing an enterprise out of all proportion to its size, and the publicity undertaken by its Development Association has been the means of greatly increasing its tourist traffic. Local energy of this kind is a distinctly good sign.

ANTIQUARIES' VISIT.

The Royal Society of Antiquaries, whose members make a visit every year to some centre of interest, intends to make Cork its headquarters for this summer, and has been making arrangements to secure accommodation in the city for a week in July. About fifty or sixty members are expected to attend, including several prominent antiquaries. The time will be occupied in lectures and in excursions to various places of interest in Cork, Kerry and Waterford.

It is a long time since the Society last came to Cork (forty years to be exact), but the district is a very rich one, from the antiquary's point of view. Places such as Ardmore and Gougane Barra are within easy reach, while the Druidical and other remains in West Cork would well repay further investigation. Unexpected finds have often been made in this area, and the Society may be able to form an opinion on the underground passages that were discovered at Berehaven some months ago, the origin of which seems to be still in doubt.

"EVERYMAN."

Considerable interest attached to the Oratorio which was presented last week at St. Finbarre's Cathedral, in view of the fact that the piece was being performed for the first time in Ireland. It was a musical setting of "Everyman," by Sir Walford Davies, and several well known soloists had been engaged for it.

"Everyman" is one of the oldest morality plays, and is certainly the most famous. As its charm lies in its complete simplicity and directness, it is a rather difficult subject to treat musically, but, on the whole, Sir Walford Davies's interpretation is sympathetic and effective, and the old drama loses little in his hands.

The Cathedral Oratorio Society, which was responsible for the production, has every reason to congratulate itself; for its presentation of the piece was admirable. The only noticeable fault in the orchestra (which was conducted by Mr. J. T. Horne) was its tendency to "drown" the singers at certain points. The soloists (Miss Renee Flynn, Miss May MacNicholl, Mr. Tom Purvis and Mr. Ronald Bridgett) all acquitted themselves well. The Society has now performed twenty-two works since its foundation in 1923.

EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS HANDBOOK.

A comprehensive guide to the Services and ceremonies during Eucharistic Congress week, June 20th-26th, has been issued by the Organising Committee. "The Handbook of the Eucharistic Congress" contains 160 pages of matter, including a provisional programme for the Congress week and the events preceding it. The official prayer for the success of the Congress and the indulgences to be obtained by the participation in the ceremonies are given in full, together with the order of the procession of the Blessed Sacrament on Sunday, June 26th, and notes for the assistance of both clergy and laity. A useful section has been added in the list of hotels and restaurants, car hire services and car parks.

This book will be of great assistance to all interested in the Eucharistic Congress, and is published at twopence.

BRITISH LEGION FUNCTION.

The committee and members of the Rathmines Branch British Legion celebrated the close of a successful year by a very enjoyable dinner and concert in the Red Bank Restaurant on Saturday. Mr. P. E. Fitzpatrick, outgoing chairman, presided.

After the loyal toast various wartime melodies were sung with enthusiasm.

The Hon. Secretary, Mr. J. Nelson, was warmly congratulated on the success of the branch entertainment.

CHURCH SERVICES.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—Morning Service at 10 o'clock. Psalm, 71. Benedictus, 42. Hymn, 2. Evening Service at 4 o'clock. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Elvey in A. Anthem, "The path of the just," Roberts.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—Morning Prayer at 10.45 o'clock. Benedictus, Hymn, 473. Evening Prayer at 3 o'clock. Magnificat. Anthem, "O that thou hadst hearkened." Sullivan.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH.—Intercession and address this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. John Faulkener, of Pappleford, Berkshire, stated to be the oldest living jockey, celebrated his 104th birthday on Saturday. He still enjoys his pipe and glass of beer.

CLERY'S SUPPER DANCE.

There was a large attendance at the weekly supper dance held in Clery's Ballroom, Dublin, last Saturday night. A pleasant selection of the latest ballroom music was provided by the Rhythmaniacs Orchestra. Among those present were:—Sir Ralph Coote, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, Captain and Mrs. W. J. Malcolmson, Dr. Garrett, Captain and Mrs. J. B. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McCabe, Mrs. Bretland, Mr. G. M. O'Callaghan, Mr. Shannon, Mr. C. Strahan, Mr. F. Hayden, Mr. D. McCann, Mr. Chambers, Mr. W. P. Ganly, Mr. Jones, Mr. Thompson, Mr. B. Webb, Mr. Brownley, Mr. Cox, Mr. Lynn Doyle, Mr. D. D. O'Sullivan, Mr. O. Dixon, Mr. E. Tanner, Captain and Mrs. Dixon, Mr. J. A. Cassidy, Mr. Duffy, Mr. H. E. O'Toole, Mr. Thornton, Mr. O'Duffy, Mr. Green, Miss Stone, Miss Millar, Miss M. Sheridan, Miss E. Bannon, Miss M. Cranfield, Miss E. Robinson, Miss E. Fagan, Miss E. Lawrence, Miss F. Bothwell, Mr. A. White, Mr. S. Spratt, Mr. J. M. Cranfield, Mr. J. A. Caulfield, Mr. P. V. Lyons, Miss E. Liddy, Miss L. Cassidy, Miss Corry Neale, Miss Y. C. Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Brennan, Mr. Thornton, Mr. Hopkins, Mr. F. L. Pepper, Mr. B. J. Fitzpatrick, Mr. P. McBride, Mr. M. McKeon, Mr. and Mrs. C. Redmond, Mr. S. Yeomans, Mr. R. Collopy, Miss O'Gorman, Mr. Fitzsimons, Mrs. O'Neill, Miss O'Neill, Miss N. Fahy, Miss Eckersley, Miss H. Lawlor, Miss McGuinness, Mr. J. O'Connor, Mr. A. McArdle, Mr. P. Sharpe, Mr. C. Crofton, Mr. Leonard, Mr. H. Nolan, Miss N. Murphy, Miss M. Murphy, Mr. Richards and Mr. P. Sullivan.

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WITH THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

A group photographed at the Theatre Royal, Dublin, where the Boys' Brigade demonstration was held last Saturday. Left to right: Alderman Hubbard Clark, Mr. Wolfe, Admiral Craig-Waller, the Rev. H. G. Forde, Lord Bangor, Mr. Lowe and Captain Morgan.

Appeal to Purchasers to Buy Ulster Goods.

Provision of Sites for New Industries.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Saturday.

THE Northern Minister of Commerce (Right Hon. J. Milne Barbour, D.L.), to-night broadcast an appeal to purchasers to buy Ulster and Empire goods. Referring to the establishment of the Ulster Industries Development Association, with its slogan: "Empire Buying begins at Home," he said that never had such a work been more necessary than in the past few days. Imported goods of types which they could, and did, make as well at home, had been flooding their markets, while their own people had suffered all the demoralisation of prolonged unemployment.

"While making due allowance for the world-wide depression in trade," he continued, "there is no doubt that a certain lack of thought or interest on the part of our people—perhaps, especially our women-folk—has been a contributory cause. Too many of our people make little or no attempt to discover the origin of their purchases, with the result that substantial sums of money have been despatched annually from our province to pay for foreign products.

"Let us consider the ordinary commodities in everyday use. Ulster spends annually about £1,000,000 on imported preserves, biscuits and soap—three items which, I suppose, are in daily use in every Ulster household. In the province we have a number of factories producing these commodities of a quality which compares most favourably with the imported article. If we produce, as we could do, all our own requirements in these three items alone, about £2,500 extra workers would be employed in our factories, and possibly as many more in the production, packing and transport of the supplies of fruit needed for the jam factories, and in the milling of wheat and flour for biscuit making.

"What articles are in more common demand nowadays than tobacco and cigarettes? Even the ladies of Ulster have fallen victims to the charms of My Lady Nicotine! While the unmanufactured tobacco must of necessity be imported, why should we send out of the country so substantial a sum as two million pounds for cigarettes and manufactured tobacco, when we have two splendid factories of our own?

"To our distributors and retailers, I would appeal for a determined effort to display and push Ulster goods. I would remind our merchants that, if they sell £100 worth of foreign goods, they keep the profit and send the balance of the money away never to return. If they sell £100 worth of Ulster goods they still keep their profits, but the balance is distributed among their customers in wages, and returns to them in the form of additional purchases."

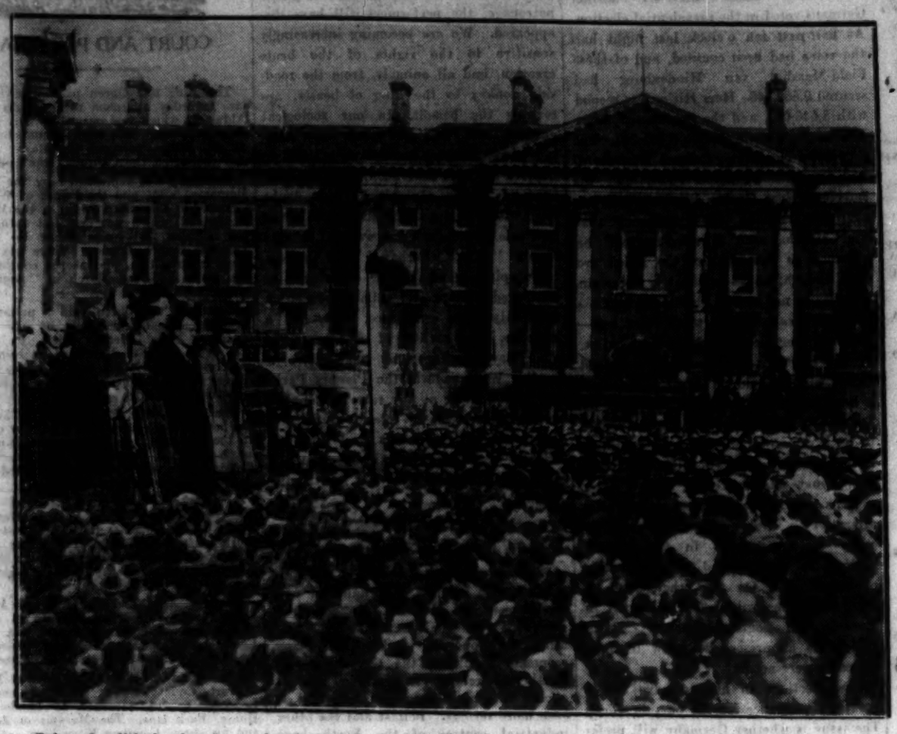
FREE SITES.

Referring to the proposed bill of the Northern Government to provide free sites for new industries, he said:—

"We can offer many other attractions to manufacturers, and there is, undoubtedly, a suitable field for industrial development in Northern Ireland. We possess the primary essentials of cheap power, water, and light, splendid shipping and transport facilities, low harbour dues in all our ports, and good service by rail or road. In addition, we have in Ulster skilled, hard-working, reliable, and adaptable labour, both male and female. Indeed, the mass of the population in our cities are factory and workshop bred and trained. The words 'made in Ulster' are a passport to the success of a product in our market.

"With the co-operation of the general public, the distributing trade—both wholesale and retail—the manufacturers and producers, and the Government, I visualise a future in which Ulster will be a hive of industry and a happy and prosperous part of our great world-wide Empire."

RELEASED PRISONERS ADDRESS THE PEOPLE.



Released political prisoners on the platform from which they addressed a large gathering at College Green, Dublin, yesterday afternoon.

Increased Traffic.

Campaign in Support of The Railways.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WATERFORD, Saturday.

THE first general meeting of the Waterford Branch of the Railway Staffs' Protection Organisation was held in Waterford to-day, Mr. P. J. Lee, Stationmaster, Waterford, presiding.

A report, which was submitted by Mr. H. G. Hartford, Secretary, stated that the sympathetic and encouraging manner in which the railways' case had been taken up by traders and public bodies generally had fired the members with new enthusiasm, and had induced them to redouble their efforts for the success of the campaign. The action of the Waterford Chamber of Commerce in according whole-hearted and practical support to the movement was a source of great satisfaction to the branch, which endorsed the Chamber's appeal, urging local shareholders to support and help to carry into effect the formation of a body of shareholders from every part of Ireland to work in conjunction with the railway directors, as suggested at the recent meeting of the Great Southern Railways.

It was decided that the work of calling on individual traders with a view to obtaining their support should be speeded up, and districts were named in which deputations would operate.

The report added that the fruits of the campaign already had been manifested in increased traffic.

Teaching in Lofts.

Dearth of Schools in County Leitrim.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CARRICK-ON-SHANNON, Saturday.

The difficulty with which Leitrim Vocational Education Committee has been confronted since the Act became operative is to find accommodation for the teaching of the subjects as provided for in the Act. At a former meeting an inspector of the Free State Department of Education stated that the various instructors were compelled to teach in granaries and old lofts, to which admission was obtained by ladders.

A specially summoned meeting of the Committee was held at Drumkeeran. The Free State Department of Education was represented by Mr. Holler, divisional inspector; Mr. Sinclair, buildings trades inspector, and Mr. Sheridan, district inspector.

Mr. Carter advocated that a reserve balance of the Committee amounting to £1,100 should be utilised for building.

Mr. Holler said that the reserve could not be touched for such purposes, and it would be better to add to that fund.

It was agreed that Keshcarrigan, Manorhamilton, and Drumkeeran be centres for the erection of new schools, and that Carrick-on-Shannon be a centre also for a school, and that the Superior of the Presentation Brothers, Carrick-on-Shannon, be communicated with with a view to selling or leasing the vacant portion of the premises (formerly the old military barracks) for conversion into a technical school.

A further resolution was adopted providing for the borrowing of £4,000 for the establishment of the schools at the centres stated.

It is understood that the Department's inspectors inspected the proposed sites and the vacant buildings at Carrick-on-Shannon.

Oil Distribution.

Station to be set up at Queenstown.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

QUEENSTOWN, Saturday.

IT has been rumoured here for several weeks past that Russian Oil Products are to set up a distributing station at Queenstown, to enter into competition with other oil companies already established in Ireland, for the distribution of kerosine, motor spirit and benzine, throughout County Cork and the southern Irish district. Application was recently made, without success, for the renting of a suitable site adjacent to the Queenstown terminus of the Great Southern Rail way, where it was intended to erect a number of storage tanks, and connect them to the huge tanks at Haulbowline by means of a submarine pipe-line.

It now is learned that negotiations are well in hand for the purchase or renting of a suitable site elsewhere in the town, where a distributing station will be erected. It is proposed to convey the oil from Haulbowline to this station by barge, and, from the newly-established station, distribute it throughout the country by a fleet of fast motor tanks.

The total capacity of the storage tanks at Haulbowline is seventeen thousand tons and a number of other tanks are in the course of construction.

Safety Razor Blades.

German Firm to Open Factory In Belfast.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Saturday.

I learn that a German firm of safety razor blade manufacturers has decided to open a factory in Belfast. Premises have been secured in a central position and the manufacture of their products is to commence almost immediately for the Northern Ireland and British Markets, in order to overcome the handicap of the new import duties.

Council's Finances.

Queenstown Deputation to Wait on Government.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

QUEENSTOWN, Saturday.

AT the Queenstown Urban District Council meeting the Town Clerk stated that at the close of the financial year the amount of the Council's indebtedness was £31,542 1s. 11d. Between £15,000 and £16,000 were due in respect of water loans, the amount of which was £40,000. The total amount of the loans obtained by the Council was £82,000, of which more than half had been repaid.

Mr. McCarthy said that the Council's indebtedness ten years ago was £27,000. Years ago the Council obtained loans for the development of Haulbowline, which then gave considerable employment to the inhabitants of Queenstown. With the change of Government ten years ago Haulbowline was closed, and had since become derelict. He contended that the balance of £31,000, due in respect of loans, should become a national charge instead of being a charge on the Township of Queenstown. If the Council were the owners of the dockyard they would be in receipt of some revenue from it, but at present it was the Government who received any revenue derived from it. The Queenstown Urban Council mortgaged the rates to raise a loan of £40,000 to construct a waterworks and provide a water supply to Haulbowline, and when the Council were not deriving any revenue from the yard he failed to see why they should be called upon to pay the interest and sinking fund.

The Town Clerk said that they were deriving a substantial revenue from the houses there.

Mr. McCarthy suggested that a deputation should wait on the Free State Government in connection with the matter.

The Chairman said that a deputation already had waited on the late Government, and were informed that the Council could not get any relief. The new Government might be more sympathetic towards them, and he agreed that a deputation should be appointed to wait on the new Minister.

The suggestion was agreed to.

Bishop of Limerick.

Presentation of Pastoral Staff.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LIMERICK, Saturday.

AT the Diocesan Hall, Pery street, Limerick, an interesting function took place, when the Bishop of Limerick, the Right Rev. Dr. H. Vere White, was presented with a handsome pastoral staff by the members of the Synods of the United Dioceses of Limerick, Ardfert, and Aghadoe, and friends. The Very Rev. Dean Swain presided, and the presentation was made by Lord Monteagle, who stated that Bishop White had come to the large and scattered Diocese of Limerick in October, 1921, when the country was passing through very difficult times. By his constant visitation, wise counsel, and sympathetic friendship, the Bishop had won for himself not only the admiration and affection of his flock, but the respect of the Church of Ireland at large.

In acknowledging the gift, the Bishop thanked Lord Monteagle for his kind words. He considered that the staff was a beautiful symbol of his office; for a Bishop ought to be a shepherd—helping, leading, and guiding his flock. He had been greatly assisted in his work in the united dioceses by the loyal co-operation of clergy and laity alike. When he was chosen to be Bishop of Limerick he felt that he was returning to his own people, for his family branch had been founded by Simon White, who was Mayor of Limerick in 1416.

Dundalk's Demand.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

DUNDALK, Sunday.

At a meeting of railwaymen which was held in Dundalk to-day, Mr. Frank Hamill presiding, a resolution was passed urging on the traders of Dundalk "the absolute necessity of supporting the main industry of this town, as represented by the railways, and in which their best interests are involved."

On the motion of Mr. A. B. Flynn, a further resolution was adopted calling on the newly-elected Government of the Free State "to introduce legislation for the safeguarding of the railways as the national transport system, and to ensure the proper co-ordination of the various transport services with a view to eliminating the present uneconomic and cut-throat competition."

Clogher Valley Railway.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

AUGHNACLOY, Saturday.

Clogher Rural Council having heard a rumour to-day that the Northern Government proposed closing down the Clogher Valley railway to save the annual subsidy contributed by the Northern Exchequer towards paying shareholders' dividends, and making up the working deficit, strongly recommended the Government to reconsider such drastic action.—Messrs. Mervyn Knox Brown (Chairman), George Stockdale, John J. McMahon, and others considered that the scrapping the railway would mean a great drawback to the district and ruination to farms, and suggested that the Government carry on the good traffic with crude oil engines instead of the present coal engines.

DUBLIN GARDENER DROWNED.

John Roddy (aged 60) was found drowned yesterday morning in a pond about eight feet deep in the grounds of Fortfield Lodge, Templeogue, where he was employed as a gardentr.

Heat at Council Meeting.

Objection to Political Resolution.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

DUNGARVAN, Saturday.

AT a meeting of the Dungarvan Urban District Council there were lively exchanges when Mr. Foley proposed, and Mr. Power seconded, a resolution congratulating President de Valera and his party on their recent success at the election.

Mr. Foley said that no one need be afraid of opening their mouths now with the fear of going to jail. The country was more peaceful than ever it was.

Mr. Clancy—The resolution is of a very political nature, and during my time here I have never known a resolution of that kind to be proposed. We should leave politics to the politicians. We all agree that we must serve any Government put into power, no matter what our political opinions may be. I think the resolution should not be admitted.

Mr. Foley—If Mr. Cosgrave got in members here would be falling over one another putting up resolutions.

Mr. O'Donnell—Mr. Foley said that if Mr. Cosgrave got in we would propose a resolution such as he has proposed. When Mr. Cosgrave did get into power did the Council propose any such resolution?

Mr. Foley—Half of you were Redmondites then, but you have changed since.

Mr. Griffin—As far as I can remember there is a resolution on the books stating that resolutions of a political nature should not be entertained by the board. Before this resolution is passed that order should be rescinded.

Mr. Hackett—When Mr. Cosgrave got in in 1927 there was no resolution.

Mr. Foley—All right; but the resolution will have to be put, and we will see who's who.

Mr. Clancy—I do not think that is a fair remark.

Mr. Foley—I will stand by any remarks I make. There were dirty remarks passed here from time to time by members against the party now in power, and I am here to defend them.

Mr. McCarthy—I think Mr. Foley should name the members who passed remarks.

The Chairman—I think Mr. Foley, in all fairness, should name the members who passed such remarks.

Mr. Keane—Mr. Foley should name the members or withdraw the remark.

Mr. Foley—I will withdraw nothing.

The Chairman—I think Mr. Foley should explain; then we can get on with the resolution.

Mr. Foley—All right; I will withdraw.

The resolution was then deferred for a week to enable the Clerk to look up the resolution on the books.

Dancing Contests.

Larne Musical Festival Awards.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LARNE, Saturday.

The folk dancing contests were decided at Larne Musical Festival to-day.

Solo (Junior)—1, Betty Lewis, Larne; 2, Rhoda McIlwrath, Larne.

Four-hand Reel (Junior), open—1, St. Louis Team A, Ballymena; 2, Miss Mulholland's Team A, Belfast.

Eight-hand Reel (Junior)—1, Miss Mulholland's team; 2, Miss Judge's Team A, Belfast.

Fairy Reel—1, St. Louis Team A, Ballymena; 2, Miss Mulholland's B Team.

Miss Josephine O'Neill, Belfast, was awarded the Cashel Bowl, presented by Mrs. Austin Carson, Larne, for the most promising competitor.

Team Dancing (Senior)—The only entrant, St. Michael's Girls' Club, Belfast, was awarded first place.

Solo (Senior)—1, Lily Lutton, Belfast; 2, Tilly Curry, Belfast.

Three-hand Reel—1, Miss Mulholland's Team E, Larne; 2, St. Louis Team A, Ballymena.

Four-hand Reel (Senior)—1, Miss Mulholland's team; 2, St. Michael's Girls' Club A Team.

Eight-hand Reel (Senior)—1, St. Michael's Girls' Club.

Mr. Cormac McGinley, who adjudicated the country fiddlers' classes, was greatly pleased with the high standard of the competitions. Announcing James Kealey, Ballymoney, as winner of the "country fiddlers" with 90 marks, Mr. McGinley said that Kealey was far and away the best player they had. Alexander Kerr, Larne, was awarded second place with 84 marks. Third place went to William McBroom, Glenwherry, with 83 marks.

In the Junior Violin Solo for country fiddlers (age under 21) James Haveron, Ballycarry, was placed first with 84 marks. Georgina Hamilton, Kells, and Harry Maconaghy, Ballymoney, tied for second place with 81 marks.

The challenge cup, presented by the Right Hon. the Earl of Antrim, for the Senior Violin Solo, country fiddlers' class, was won by James Kealey, Ballymoney, with 90 marks. James Kerr, Ballyclare, secured second place with 85 marks.

PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

At the weekly meeting of the Dublin Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, held at 29 South Frederick street, Mr. F. O. Lyons presided, and there were also present:—Miss Hillas, Mr. Patterson, Miss Rickeney, Mr. Roberts, Miss Tuckey, Mr. Lefroy and Mrs. Power O'Donoghue.

Seventeen cases were reported by the inspectors during the week and two convictions.

Suscriptions received:—Misses Oulton, 5s.; Miss Magee, 5s.; Miss Long, 5s.; Miss Pidgeon, £1.

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IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF.

Rector Bereaved.—The Rev. W. G. S. Conner, M.A., Rector of Langfield Union, Co. Tyrone, has been bereaved by the death of his wife, who died on Saturday from bronchial pneumonia.

Price of Pigs.—At Athlone pigs made 38s. per cwt. The price of pigs at Bantry was 50s. per cwt. At Kells and Stonyford, County Kilkenny, pig market 50s. per cwt. was paid for fat pigs, a decrease of 1s.

All Night Poteen Hunt.—During an all-night poteen hunt, Guards Hurley and Clancy, Clonmany, County Donegal, found a large jar containing a gallon of illicit spirits hidden between two boats pulled up on the beach at Doaghmore, Isle of Doagh. A dance had been held in the vicinity the preceding night.

Shopkeeper's Pigs.—A shopkeeper at Athlone Court, summoned under the weights and Measures Act in respect of a seven pound weight, alleged to be unjust and unstamped, pleaded that he had the weight for the past twenty years, and used it for no purpose other than keeping his shop door open on windy days. A fine of 5s. was imposed.

Surcharged. — Several members of the Limerick County Council have been surcharged £27 in respect of payments made arising out of travelling expenses to meetings of the Council, the members concerned not having attended the stipulated number of meetings entitling them to payment. The Secretary was instructed to deduct the sums surcharged from the next payment to the members involved.

Cork Abattoir.—The annual report of the committee of management for the Cork Abattoir states that for the year ending December 31st last there was a considerable increase in turnover, the animals dealt with being 19,000 in excess of the figures for the previous year. It was decided to recommend that £550 be allocated out of profits for the payment of a bonus per animal to shareholders.

Short-lived Strike.—A short-lived strike took place at Derry quay on Saturday morning, when, as a protest against the employment out of their turn of two casual workers, fifty-six men who were engaged in discharging operations at the steamer Lairdrose ceased work. Officials investigated their grievance immediately, and within a few hours a settlement was effected, and the men resumed work.

Alleged Theft of Cattle.—At a Special Court which was held in Mullingar before District Justice Beatty, Christopher Coyne, of Kinnegad, was returned for trial to the Circuit Court charged with the larceny of three cattle, the property of Charles Lee, Rathmire, Killucan, and valued at about £41. Joseph Reilly, also of Kinnegad district, who also was brought before the court on the same charge, was acquitted. Coyne was admitted to bail, himself in £150, and two sureties of £75 each.

Belgian Barque at Queenstown.—The Belgian four-masted, Barque, L'Avenir, arrived in Cork Harbour yesterday. She is a German-built barque of 2,738 tons gross, and is owned by the Association Maritime Belge, of Antwerp, and is used by the Belgian Government as a training ship for cadets, who comprise a large proportion of her crew of one hundred. L'Avenir is on a voyage to Ghent from Fernandi and the West Indies, and Queenstown is her twelfth port of call *en route*. She has been on a five months cruise, and has a cargo of phosphate.

Boy in Trouble.—When a boy, James Fulham, was charged at Athlone Court for maliciously damaging a house belonging to the Irish Soldiers' and Sailors' Land Trust, Superintendent G'Sullivan, Civic Guard, said that the accused boy had a bad record. Describing an offence for which the prisoner had been sentenced to three months' imprisonment, Superintendent O'Sullivan said that, with another boy, the prisoner broke into a draper's shop, discarded their old clothes, and came out with new ones on. The Justice imposed a fine of £1, and allowed 25s. compensation.

Poverty Pics.—Acting District Justice McCarthy, at Tullamore, passed a suspensory sentence of six months' on Joseph Hensey, auxiliary postman, Water lane, Tullamore, who was charged with stealing postal packets containing postal orders to the amount of £4 8s. 6d. Mr. F. W. Moorhead, for the defence, said that the accused man earned only £1 0s. 5d. a week, as he was only employed a few days a week. He was married, and it was want at home that drove him to do this. He would repay the money. The Justice said that it was a very serious offence, but there was nothing against him up to this and he was recently married. He imposed a sentence as stated, and bound the defendant over.

Action of Recision of Contracts.—At Lifford Circuit Court, Albert Cunnane, school teacher, John Cannon, Daniel McClafferty, Daniel McClean and Debis McGee, all of Carrowcunnon, Falcarragh, were plaintiffs in five actions taken jointly against Mrs. Bedeli McFadden, Gortahork, for the recision of contracts entered into through her auctioneer, Mr. Edward Sweeney, for the purchase of five plots of land. The plaintiffs alleged that they were entitled to recisions on the ground that the auctioneer at the time of the sale stated that the lands would be free from annuity in six and a half years, while, in fact, it had transpired that they would not be clear until 1957. The defence was a denial of these statements. Judge Moonan, reserved judgment.

Limerick Rates.—The secretary, Mr. L. O'Donnell, reported to the Finance meeting of the Limerick County Council that £18,450 of the second moiety had been collected since the last meeting of the Council, leaving outstanding £40,229 2s. 5d. The Council's debit balance in the bank was £60,239. Generally speaking, he added, the rate collectors had made no attempt to close their warrants. Of the second moiety of the rate for the financial year ending March 31 only £18,450 19s. 5d. had been collected. The Free State Local Government Department wrote instructing the Council to warn the collectors and to notify the sureties. The Council decided to carry out the terms of the letter. The Department also wrote that the Ministry had extended the overdraft of £70,000. The secretary stated that £64,000 had been used.

Sympathy.—The Leitrim County Board of Health, of which he was Chairman, passed a vote of sympathy with the relatives of the late Mr. Patrick Reynolds, and, after the urgent business was disposed of, adjourned as a mark of respect to his memory.

General O'Duffy.—Cork branch of the N.A. and C.A. adopted a resolution appreciating the valuable services rendered to athletics by General O'Duffy, and deprecating the attacks made on him. It appealed to him to reconsider his decision to resign.

Missing Farmer.—A farmer, Patrick Durkan, of Attymass, Ballina, has been missing from his home for the past week. This is the second case that has occurred in North Mayo within the past few months. Edward Geraghty, Lahardane, who disappeared on Christmas Eve, has not been heard of since.

Northern Contracts.—The Clogher Guardians criticised the Northern Government for giving orders and contracts to cross-Channel firms which could be executed in Ulster, and passed a resolution calling on the Government to give a lead to the Northern people in supporting Ulster goods and industry. The Guardians accepted a Northern tender for medical and surgical appliances in preference to a Liverpool, tender which was lower.

Religious Receptions.—The following were received at the Mercy Convent, Nenagh, by the Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty:—Miss Mary Harty, Ballinamona, Nenagh (in religion Sister Mary Columba); and her sister, Miss Margaret Harty (in religion Sister Mary Benignus), daughters of Mrs. Harty and the late Mr. Harty, Ballinamona, and Miss Bridget Corry, Tulla (in religion Sister M. Senan).

Burglary Charge.—Brought before Mr. William Murphy, Peace Commissione, at a special court which was held at Queenstown, James Mackey, unemployed, of Little Island, County Cork, was charged with having, on the night of March 9, broken into the residence of the Rev. A. French, the Rectory, Rushbrooke, County Cork, and stolen the sum of £2 10s. Bails not being forthcoming, the accused man was remanded in custody to the District Court to be held at Carrigaline, County Cork, on Thursday next.

Call for New School.—At a meeting which was held at Aughnacloy, Co. Tyrone, on Saturday the delay of the Northern Ministry of Education and Clogher Regional Committee in providing a new school in the town to replace the present building at Glack was discussed. The Rector, the Rev. H. W. Cooke, M.A., manager of the school, and many of the parents advocated the closing down of the existing school. The Rector, who presided, described the school as being in a deplorable condition and without a parallel in Northern Ireland. A deputation was appointed to wait on the Northern Ministry.

The Concealed Salmon.—At Ferbane District Court the Limerick Fishery Conservators were complainants in prosecution against John and Mary Kenny, Lumcloon, who were charged with being in illegal possession of a salmon during the close season. Sergeant Byrne, Ferbane, stated that on January 20th he visited the house of defendants. Witness found a fresh salmon concealed. It weighed about 12lb. It had two punctured wounds caused by a spear or some such instrument. All the parties in the house denied having seen it before. John Kenny stated that he knew nothing about the salmon being in the house. Mrs. Kenny said that she got a piece of salmon from another person, and she did not think it was any harm. The Justice dismissed the case against John Kenny, who, he said, might not have known that the fish was in the house. He fined Mrs. Kenny £2, with £1 costs.

HEIRS WANTED.

Cummings—Richard, born County Tipperary about 1820; came to New York in 1851, resided at 139 Hamilton street in 1855 Heirs entitled £6,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

Brien-Bolger—John Brien married Mary Bolger in County Tipperary, and came to America. Heirs entitled £3,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

Fogarty-Lynch—Daniel Fogarty married Delia Lynch; resided in Ireland about 1875. Had a son, Daniel, a pedlar by occupation. Heirs entitled to £1,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

Harrigan - Connell — Patrick Harrigan married Mary Connell; resided Ireland. 1860. Heirs entitled £1,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

Healy—Peter and wife, Catherine; had son, Joseph, born New York, about 1866. Heirs entitled £2,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

Lawler-connor—Patrick Lawler married Mary Connor, resided Tralee, County Kerry, in 1870. Heirs entitled £3,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

Lawrence-Kane—John Lawrence married Bridget Kane, both natives Ireland, resided New York City in 1860. Heirs entitled to £5,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

McCabe-McCabe—Hugh McCabe married Margaret McCabe, resided on Bo Island, Ireland, in 1846; had daughter, Anne. Heirs entitled £600. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

McDonald-O'Toole—John McDonald married Annie O'Toole, both natives of Ireland; resided New York in 1872; had children, James and Mary. Heirs entitled £3,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

Mullin—Joseph, born Drogheda, County Louth, 1859; mother kept small store, and died about 1878. Heirs entitled £6,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

Rooney-Kierwin — Patrick Rooney born Ireland about 1825, emigrated to Philadelphia before 1853, married Catherine Kierwin, born Ireland, about 1825. Patrick Rooney believed to have had a sister, Mary, who accompanied him to Philadelphia. Heirs entitled £12,000. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

Shevlin—Patrick, wife Ann, resided County Down, 1060; son, John, bookkeeper for Sir Thomas Lipton, Glasgow. This son was in Chicago about 1892. Heirs entitled £200. Apply John J. Dwyer, 40 Wall street, New York.

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THE COUNTRY WEDDING.

(By CHRISTABEL MANNING.)

BEFORE the Keleti Station in Budapesth the taxis stopped. Porters came to the door, and we stepped down, to be swept at once into the bustle and excitement of a busy station. Boys and girls pushed fruit or paper wagons up and down the platforms; groups of bewildered peasants kept guard over their bundles and baskets; porters guided their luggage wagons dexterously through the waiting crowds. The tickets were bought, and we found our train already in the station, and were fortunate to secure a compartment to ourselves.

The suburbs left behind, the country through which the train passed was flat—miles of dullish green and brown, melting into a grey skyline. A yellow cottage, a few straggling trees, or some ducks paddling about on a sheet of muddy water—these broke the monotony; or maybe a couple of peasants watering their oxen at a well.

The party, noisy and restless at first, soon settled down. The two young ladies, lately become students at the University, had armed themselves with formidable volumes on learned subjects. They expected to do a great deal of serious reading—how otherwise could one wile away twenty-one monotonous days on a farm on the pouszta? Meanwhile, they condescended to play a game of cut-throat with their mother. The two young gentlemen (still at the gymnasium, in spite of valiant efforts to conceal the fact) discussed horses, and the prospect of tennis if the weather were good. Those topics exhausted, they produced magazines, and were silent. The youngest member of the party was still excited, and eager to talk. He was enthusiastic about everything on the farm, which he described in detail, dwelling on the "love," which he found difficult to explain in English.

THE HOUSE.

The train stopped at a number of small stations, where peasants got in or out, and packages were loaded or unloaded. At last we were told to collect our things, and the train stopped once more, and we climbed down the three steps. The stationmaster and a porter came across the rails to welcome the family, and take the luggage. They stared with respectful interest at the Angol Kisosszony. Outside, a vis-a-vis and a dog-cart waited, to drive us to the farm. We packed in, leaving the luggage to follow in some other conveyance.

The horses set off at a smart trot. Over the level crossing they went, along a straight road, bordered by ditches and low hedges. Here were a few trees still leafless. The town lay behind, only the church tower of eastern aspect being visible. The surface of the road was bad. We jogged along for some miles, past cross-roads marked by lines of white stones, and on again where were no trees—only the flat land rolling towards the horizon.

The light was fading when we turned off the road. It seemed that we were driving across a ploughed field, the mud a foot deep in places. Some way ahead was a group of buildings—the farm. The house lay on the fringe of the farm, sheltered by thin hedges, and a few firs and evergreens. It was an irregular one-storeyed building, with a long verandah in front. A rough avenue ending in a carriage sweep, and we had arrived. Imre Bácsi and Ilus Néni, when they heard the sound of the carriage and cart, came running out to greet the family. They were grand old servants, and showed their devotion in smiles and curtsies, and in their eagerness that everything should be right. They helped us down and ushered us into the diningroom, where there was coffee, with bowls of whipped cream, and home-made cake. It was good, that coffee, and we were all hungry and thirsty after the train and the drive.

THE STABLES.

After that we went out to see the horses. It was quite dark, but I was piloted along the treacherous paths by those who knew the way. The stable was dimly lighted. The horses stopped munching, and stood tense, with heads raised, as we entered. A groom, who had been lying on a straw-covered bunk by the window, got up sleepily. There were about thirty horses together: two beautiful white Arabs for the younger members of the family to ride, a couple of hacks, a fine pair of chestnuts, privileged to draw the carriage of the master and mistress; and for the rest, horses that worked around the farm. Then we went out, and crossed a wide, muddy yard to a long shed. Here were about a hundred cows, the finest I have ever seen. They yielded a great quantity of milk, which was sent up to Budapesth every day. Three or four herdsmen rested on a heap of straw in the centre of the shed, talking in low tones.

At half-past five the following morning the night watchman tapped on my window. My host had offered to take me round the farm on his morning inspection and explain everything to me. It was bright, but very cold as we set out. The house still slept peacefully. In front was a long garden, at the end of which I could see a hard court. There was little in the garden then—a few vegetables under cover, bare fruit trees, and hardy little plants struggling for existence in the borders. A thin hedge divided the garden from the plain sweeping into the distance.

The farm leaves an impression of mud-buildings scattered at random over a wide area and great space. We went first to the cattle sheds—the one I had already seen, and another like it. There were two hundred head of cattle altogether. Then we went out past the granary and store house to the tobacco plantation. Enclosed by a high fence made from matted maize stalks, it measured about fifty square yards. The plants, in deep beds of earth, were covered by mats also made from maize stalks. The tobacco supplied the whole farm throughout the year. In a number of smaller enclosures of the same kind seedlings were being forced on, to be bedded out when the warm weather came.

We passed a dirty-looking shed some distance from the other buildings. That, my host informed me, I must never approach. It was the quarter of the nomadic workers, who only stayed during the busy seasons. They were, to put it mildly, extremely dirty, and nobody ever went near the place who valued his bodily comfort. After that we walked over to where the swine were kept. Yes, that was all right; no harm there. There were two thousand of them, squealing, grunting, guzzling and wallowing in the mud.

Towards the centre of the farm were the cottages of the regular labourers, a small school and the offices. Near them was an artesian well, from which the water was pumped day and night by an old, blindfolded pony. We could see him as we walked back by the engine room and the workshops. Here the mystery of the "lore" was revealed. It was a kind of miniature railway, running across the whole farm and through the sheds. The trucks were drawn by horses. The mud is so bad in winter a horse could not draw an ordinary cart around the farm, and so this miniature railway simplifies matters.

THE WEDDING FEAST.

They took me to a wedding one evening. A week before the event, while we sat at supper, a heavy-faced peasant, wearing a white rosette in his button-hole, was led in. In a monotonous voice he announced the wedding. On the evening of the ceremony he again appeared, bidding us to the feast, which was about to begin. So off we went.

Outside the cottage (it was a peasant wedding) a small and murky tent had been erected, in a corner of which a czigany band had already begun to wail out sentimental melodies. A few people sat around talking. I thought there might be some in national costume, and was disappointed to see them all in ordinary Sunday clothes. We passed through the crowded outer room, where there was much confusion over the fleshpots, into the reception room. It was very small. At the head of the table sat the bride and bridegroom. They looked unhappy, and never spoke or moved the whole evening. The greetings over, we sat down, and immediately dishes of roast pork and chicken were brought in, with bottles of wine. We did not eat much, but some of the grooms and farm men came in, and a great deal of wine disappeared. They sang, and, though I could not understand the words, I judged that the songs became increasingly bawdy as the evening wore on. A large cake was brought in, and, after we had eaten some of that, we went out to the tent to dance.

It had become alive. The gypsies had changed their sentimental songs and played the czardas with animation. Wine had been generously distributed. There was little room now for dancing. Outside, those who couldn't push their way in were singing and laughing and talking. Suddenly in the crowded tent two men began to fight. The peasants, quarrelsome in their cups, have been known to produce knives. We thought it time to get out.

RETURN TO BUDAPESTH.

We rode every day or went for long drives across country in a buggy. I loved the miles of undivided land, the little yellow houses and the few thin trees. I loved the straight, muddy roads and the sturdy oxen pulling rough wagons or a plough. Sometimes we would drive into one of the neighbouring towns. Here again were the little yellow houses, their gable ends to the street. The only buildings of more than one storey were the Town Hall and the hotel. And dominating all was the mosque-like tower of the Roman Catholic church. Then there was the great wide market-place, and across the street a public garden, with the inevitable war memorial.

We drove back once through a blizzard. We had known it coming by the heavy, greyish sky, the biting wind, and then the whirling flakes, coming faster and thicker. But the horse, used to worse than this, trotted on, and when we drove up the narrow avenue the sun was shining and the snow already melted.

The night before we left I was initiated into an ancient and honourable custom. First a fire was lighted in front of the house. A splendid fire, the flames lighting the whole garden and house. Then we each got a long stick, with pointed end, on which we stuck a lump of bacon fat. While this was held in the fire to melt we took a big lump of bread and then let the fat drip on to the bread. That created a tremendous thirst; so wine was produced to quench it. We drank a number of healths and began all over again. It is a cheerful custom, and that is all I remember about it.

We all quarrelled in the train going back to Budapesth the next day.

CHRISTABEL MANNING.

THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS OF FURNITURE AND FINE ARTS.

MONDAY.

9/10 Bachelor's Walk (Jas. Hill and Son) (and following days); 37 Merrion square, E. (Jas. H. North and Co.); 250 Clontarf road (Albert MacArthur).

TUESDAY.

8 Mount Temple terrace, Dartry road (Battersby and Co.).

WEDNESDAY.

Shop, Furniture, 3 Cole's lane (Garvey and Good).

FRIDAY.

Rosetta, Bullock Harbour, Sandcove (Jas. Adam and Sons); 10 Charleville road, N.C. road (Thos. Murphy).

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.
TO-NIGHT AT 8, MATINEE SATURDAY, 2.30.
ARTHUR SINCLAIR AND MAIRE O'NEILL IN THE AMERICAN SUCCESS,
OLD MAN MURPHY,
A FARCE COMEDY, in Three Acts.
Next Week (Holy Week)—THEATRE CLOSED.
Easter Monday—THE CO-OPTIMISTS.

GAIETY THEATRE, DUBLIN.
THURSDAY, 7th APRIL, 2.30 p.m.
CHILDREN'S PLAY, ENTITLED,
"WHAT'S BECOME OF THE FAIRIES,"
PRESENTED BY
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In Aid of the Soldiers', Sailors and Airmen's Families' Association.
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6.45............TWICE NIGHTLY............9 o'c
John D. Robertson Presents
JIMMIE LESLIE,
The Popular Little Comedian, in
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A Great Comedy Revue.
Supporting Cast includes Lena Lloyd, Male Barrie, George Davenport, The Buckleys, the Crazy Four and the Smile Girls.
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First Production on any Stage of
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HOLY WEEK—THEATRE CLOSED.

THE SACKVILLE.
GRACIE FIELDS in
"SALLY IN OUR ALLEY."
A RADIO PICTURE.

METROPOLE.
CONTINUOUS .... 2.0 to 11.0 p.m.
WARNER BAXTER and DOROTHY MACKAILL in
"THEIR MAD MOMENT."
DAILY AT 2.30, 5.0, 7.30 and 10 0 p.m.
ALSO
GEORGE O'BRIEN in
"RIDERS OF THE PURPLE SAGE."
By ZANE GREY.

OLD COLLEGE HOCKEY CLUB.
ANNUAL DANCE
WILL BE HELD ON
THURSDAY, 17th MARCH, 1932
(ST. PATRICK'S DAY), IN
THE METROPOLE BALLROOM.
DANCING 8 to 12. ROGERS-MAY BAND.
Ticket—Five Shillings (payable at door).

GRAFTON. DAILY AT 2.25, 4.45, 7.0, 9.25.
ALL RECORDS SMASHED BY
"MY WIFE'S FAMILY."
WITH GENE GERRARD.
Now on its 6th Phenomenal Week.

AT THE SAVOY TO-DAY,
2 to 11,
IRENE DUNNE,
Immortal "Sabra" of "Cimarron," in
"MARRIED IN HASTE,"
With PAT O'BRIEN, MATT MOORE, JOHN HALLIDAY, MYRNA LOY.
SHOWING AT 3.3, 5.11, 7.19, 9.27.

CORINTHIAN.
CONTINUOUS .... 2.30 till 11.0 p.m.
LAURA LA PLANTE, JOHN WAYNE, and JUNE CLYDE in
"THE VIRTUOUS WIFE."
Drama, Romance, Thrills, in an adaptation of Augustus Thomas' play.
Also "THE RANGE FEUD."
With BUCK JONES and SUSAN FLEMING.
"FRANKENSTEIN" IS COMING!

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6.45 .... TWICE NIGHTLY .... 9.0.
Britain's Premier Light Comedian,
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At the Piano—Stewart McBean.
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Music by HERMAN DAREWSKI and HIS BAND.
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The thrilling Story of a Newspaper "Scoop!"
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CAPITOL.
CONTINUOUS FROM 2.30.
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The exotic Tallulah and the Screen's Idol Leading Man in a Paramount Dramatic Sensation.
SHOWING AT 2.30, 4.49, 7.8 and 9.27.
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Britain's Best Duettists, BOB and ALF PEARSON, Of Record and Radio Fame. Also
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.
THE SOCIETY'S FIRST INAUGURAL MEETING
Will be Held in
THE PHYSICS THEATRE, EARLSFORT TERRACE, TO-NIGHT (MONDAY).
Dr. DENIS J. COFFEY, President of University College will take the Chair at 8 p.m., when
PROFESSOR EOIN MacNEILL, D.LITT., Will Deliver a Lecture on
"SAINT PATRICK."
REV. JOHN RYAN, S.J., M.A.; PROFESSOR J. M. O'SULLIVAN, M.A., Ph.D., T.D.; PROFESSOR MARY HAYDEN, M.A.; REV. PAUL WALSH, M.A.; P. F. DONOVON, ESQ., M.A., Will Also Speak.

THE CONVALESCENT HOME, STILLORGAN.
THE ANNUAL MEETING of GOVERNORS, SUBSCRIBERS AND FRIENDS will be held at
THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS OF IRELAND,
6 KILDARE STREET, DUBLIN,
On TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), 15th MARCH, At 4 o'clock p.m.
R. ATKINSON STONEY, Esq., President of the Royal College of Surgeons, will preside.

IN AID OF THE SOLDIERS', SAILORS AND AIRMEN'S FAMILIES' ASSOCIATION.
THE MARCH MARKET
(ANNUAL COUNTRY PRODUCE SALE),
WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MARCH 23rd AND 24th.
AT THE DAWSON HALL, 42 DAWSON STREET.

ATHLONE SYNDICATE.
RESULT OF DRAW.
The following is Result of Draw, which took place in COURTHOUSE, ATHLONE, on THURSDAY, the 10th instant:—

No. of Ticket. Name and Address.
H19994—Mr. George Smith, Ashfield House, Potto, Northallerton, YORKSHIRE.
E42231—Mr. A. Ormiston, 4 Fort place, LEITH.
E78092—Mr. Edward Dack, Maudlin street, Thomastown, CO. KILKENNY.
G36050—Miss Nellie Bradley, 68 Colby street, Bradford, MASS., U.S.A.
D20028—Mrs. Hornby, Little Ayton, Ayton Firs, YORKSHIRE.
H65953—Mr. M. A. McTiernan, ATHLONE.
A84573—Mr. L. Sexton, 86 Sutherland road, Croydon, SURREY.
C24069—Miss Jean McGregor, 113 Fawe Park road, Putney, LONDON, S.W.15.
D31175—Mr. Charles Elliman, 83a Bold street, LIVERPOOL.
D69389—Rev. H. McGivern, C.C., Lurgan, ARMAGH.
D28810—Mr. John Gaffey, 2 Rosemount terrace, ATHLONE.
H44912—Miss L. Phillips, R.N. Hospital, Haslar, Gosport, HANTS.
C33801—Miss Kitty Owens, 42 Tavistock street, Middlesbrough, ENGLAND.
B 4185—Mr. Tom Flanagan, Emlabeg, Donamon, CO. ROSCOMMON.
A27783—Miss Hettie Cockcroft, 99 Howard street, Rochdale, LANCS.
A 3950—Miss Tena Kane, Layde, Cushendall, CO. ANTRIM.
F66135—Mr. D. K. Calcutt, Ty-Gwyn Farm, Radyr, CARDIFF.
H44896—Mr. Louis Breme, 75 Kingston road, PORTSMOUTH.
F30618—Miss Jessie Shaw, 20 Beckford street, Salem, MASS., U.S.A.
F73490—Mrs. Guiry, 8 Lower Buckingham street, DUBLIN.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

RATHMINES Y.M.C.A.
EACH NIGHT THIS WEEK
A Series of Special Addresses will (D.V.) be given By CAPTAIN REGINALD WALLIS.
General Theme:
"THE APPROACHING END OF THE AGE."
Each Night at 7.45. (Singing from 7.30).
Ending with a Service Next Sunday Night at 8.30.
SPECIAL HYMNS AND CHORUSES.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A narrow anti-cyclonic belt stretching from south of Iceland to South Germany separates two large areas of low pressure, one centred north of Scandinavia, the other west of Spain. Apart from local showers in the north, fair weather will continue. Day temperature will be about normal in the south, and rather high in the north.

North-West Ireland.—Light or moderate east or south-east wind; fair; moderate temperature.

North-East Ireland.—Light or moderate variable wind; fair; moderate or rather high day temperature.

South-East and South-West Ireland.—Moderate east or south-east wind; mainly fair; moderate temperature.

Irish Sea.—Light or moderate variable wind; mainly fair; local coastal mist or fog; sea slight.

St. George's Channel.—Moderate east or south-east wind; fair; sea slight or moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

Mar.	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 9 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain. m.m.	Sun hours
7	29.766	47.6	47	35	31	W.	-	3.6
8	9.906	37.2	48	37	38	N.	8.1	0.0
9	30.080	39.3	46	33	25	N.	-	7.1
10	30.01	40.4	46	30	25	W.	-	4.2
11	30.031	42.0	44	32	27	W.	-	2.0
12	30.230	39.2	44	33	28	E.	0.1	3.9
13	30.274	35.6	42	30	21	S.W.	-	7.2

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	6.43	6.41
Sets	6.27	6.28
Lighting-up Time	7.27	7.28

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

Morning	2.56	3.41
Evening	3.29	4.34

The Irish Times.

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1932.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND

Mr. de Valera and his Ministers will attend the Pro-Cathedral on St. Patrick's Day. Mr. Frank Aiken will take the salute when the Army marches past later in the day.—(Page 7.)

The first brick was laid on Saturday at the Clonturk estate of the Civil Service Housing Association, Ltd., where fifty-six houses, costing either £635 or £650, are to be built.—(Page 8.)

At a very large Republican meeting in Dublin yesterday speeches were made by some of the prisoners who have been released since Mr. Cosgrave's Government went out of office.—(Page 7.)

The Northern Ireland Minister of Commerce (Right Hon. J. Milne Barbour) broadcast an appeal to purchasers on Saturday night to buy Ulster and Empire goods.—(Page 5.)

ABROAD.

The suicide of Mr. Ivor Kreuger, the Swedish match king, will have serious repercussions in many countries.—(Page 7.)

Hitler was eclipsed in the German presidential election, and Field-Marshal von Hindenburg seems assured of election when the second ballot takes place on April 10th.—(Page 7.)

A *cortège* embracing representatives of all the leading nations of the world followed the coffin at the funeral in Paris on Saturday of M. Briand.—(Page 3.)

SPORTING.

At Sandown Park on Saturday Last of the Dandies won the Imperial Cup.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were very quiet, and prices generally went to lower levels.—(Page 12.)

Loan rates were easy, but discount rates held firm.—(Page 12.)

Dublin Market was idle. Guinness units hardened. Courtaulds were weaker.—(Page 12.)

The German Election.

Yesterday some thirty-six million Germans voted in the presidential election. At half-past ten o'clock last night half the votes had been counted, and of these Field-Marshal von Hindenburg had secured 9,559,748. Herr Hitler was second with 5,648,056, and the Communist, Herr Thälmann, was third with 2,561,268. The *Stahlhelm* candidate, Colonel Dusterberg, had secured 1,190,783 votes, and the egregious Herr Gustav Winter's poll was negligible. Thus the prospects that Field-Marshal von Hindenburg will be returned as President of the Reich are rosy, though, as we write, it is uncertain whether or not he will obtain the quota—fifty *per cent.* of the total votes cast—necessary for election on the first ballot. If the quota is not reached, a second ballot will be held on April 10th, when a bare majority will suffice. In such an event the Field-Marshal's success ought to be a certainty. The figures available at the moment indicate little departure from what was expected, though later returns easily may cause substantial alterations. Herr Hitler is thought to enjoy strong support in the eastern agricultural districts and along the valley of the Elbe. On the other hand, a Hindenburg majority was anticipated in Bavaria and South Germany. It is impossible at present to know if these forecasts were accurate.

Few elections in history have had a greater significance for the outside world. The issue is whether Germany will prefer a constitutional, if arduous, return to prosperity along the path of order and honour, or whether she will seek in Herr Hitler's brand of Fascism a drastic and dubious cure for her many woes. So great has been the bitterness of the campaign that the Government has been forced to forbid any announcement of the poll by bulletins and notices, in order that crowds may not be encouraged to collect in the streets. It is, perhaps, only fitting that a struggle of this nature should have become incarnate in the persons of the protagonists. Field-Marshal von Hindenburg enjoys an almost unique position; for his rock-like devotion to duty, while it has caused him to lose the support of many of those who voted for him at the last election, has earned him the allegiance of his former enemies. Throughout his Presidency he has refused resolutely to become the puppet of the politico-military organisations or to allow any breach of the treaties with the Allied Powers. Finally, he signed the Young Plan in the conviction that Germany must honour her bond. It is largely to this act that he owes the *Stahlhelm's* challenge of Colonel Düsterberg's candidature; to his incorruptible character he owes the unanimous suffrages of the Socialists and of all the moderate parties.

Herr Hitler seized the mantle which President von Hindenburg refused to wear, and assumed it as his own. Though his ideals often are not without merit, his policy is almost uniformly destructive. Actually, his lack of constructive plans is of less importance than may be supposed; for to-day the Nazi Party is controlled by Herr Hugenberg, the Press magnate, whose large interests must forbid him to contemplate the plunging of Germany into a "patriotic" chaos. Yet it may not be doubted that a victory for Herr Hitler in the election must have a deplorable effect throughout Europe, where—with reason—its fillip to the spirit of adventure in German youth would be regarded with great misgiving. Confidence in the Reich's stability would be severely shaken, and Germany's power to obtain credits would be gravely impaired. The consequent difficulties might produce the gravest international complications. Happily, yesterday's poll, in so far as it is known, suggests that the German people is alive to the dangers of Hitlerism. If a second ballot on April 10th is necessary, there ought to be little fear of the result. Indeed, the tumults which marked the first ballot in several districts foretell what may befall, if the old tradition of discipline and industry, which the Field-Marshal von Hindenburg represents, is cast aside. Under Hitler such "incidents" between Nazis and Communists would be of almost [illegible] occurrence.

Performing Animals.

The plight of "stranded" actors always is unpleasant; when they happen to be *feræ naturæ* it may become tragic. At Naples a circus season has failed; the proprietor of nearly one hundred lions, tigers and other beasts is penniless, and it seems that the whole menagerie will be auctioned as it stands. For the moment kind-hearted citizens are supplying the beasts with rations, but who among them can afford to be burdened with the permanent charge of a tiger, a lion, an elephant or a baboon? There are no local bidders, and foreign dealers, for reasons of expense, have refused to contemplate purchase on the Italian side of the frontier. It is feared, therefore, that the beasts will be sold for a few lire, and will be slaughtered for the bare value of their skins. Even Hannibal's elephants had a kinder fate at Italian hands when they died in the heat of battle. We may hope, however, that this distressing incident will stir the continental conscience—which here lags behind the British conscience—on the subject of performing animals. It is certain that, however kind and careful the owners of travelling menageries and of animal stage-performers may be, the beasts must suffer in various ways. The stage tricks of performing dogs, cats and pigs are unnatural, and represent, therefore, a measure of cruelty—even if they are taught without the use of hunger and the whip. For such large animals as lions, tigers and bears the life of a travelling show hardly can fail to be a long-drawn misery. They exchange the glare and noise of the circus tent only for wretched hours of cramped travel by road or rail. In Great Britain and Ireland vigilant laws protect performing animals; and we foresee a time when such laws will cease to be necessary because, through lack of public patronage, the performers will have disappeared. We are becoming increasingly sensitive to the rights of the brute creation, and all animals, from the roadside donkey to the king of beasts, are reaping the benefit. In our zoological gardens lions and tigers enjoy every blessing except liberty; but are we entitled to deprive them of that boon, even for purposes of human education? This doubt begins to impart a slight discomfort to the spectacle of the sleek and well-fed tenants of our "zoos." Perhaps, it is in part the inspiration of the fine experiment at Whipsnade, where wild animals now enjoy not only the semblance, but, in a measure, the reality of freedom; and some day, perhaps, we shall have a smaller Whipsnade in the Phœnix Park. We may believe, at any rate, that public feeling will cease to tolerate unnatural stage tricks by animals and the sad Odyssey of the menagerie bears and tigers which drag at each remove a lengthening chain.

Northern Industry.

While the people of the Free State are waiting with interest, not unmixed with an element of concern, to see how President de Valera and his new Ministers propose to tackle their many economic problems, the Government of Northern Ireland is making valiant efforts to cope with a situation that is even more serious. Belfast and the other industrial centres of the North have suffered privations during recent years of which Southern Ireland has no experience. Their great industries have been paralysed. Their export trade has been reduced to a tithe of its former volume, and an alarming proportion of Northern Ireland's workers is on the dole. Now that the British Government has imposed a general tariff of ten *per cent.*, some of the Northern industries may be able to increase their output; but it must not be forgotten that they all were built up under a free trade system, and that the free import of raw materials is essential to their prosperity. In an effort to induce foreign firms to seek the shelter of the newly built tariff wall, the Northern Government now has decided to offer free sites for new factories. A bill has been introduced in the House of Commons authorising the Minister for Commerce, after consultation with an Advisory Committee, and with the consent of the Minister for Finance, to make annual grants to firms starting industries in Northern Ireland. These grants will amount to what the Minister considers to be a reasonable rent, and will be continued for twenty years. Northern Ireland offers many advantages to outside firms. It has admirably trained work-people, who, as Mr. Milne Barbour said in a speech last Saturday have been bred in factories and workshops. The attitude of Viscount Craigavon's Government is encouraging, and we may hope that its enterprise will be rewarded by a prompt response to its offer.

The Rugby Season.

Ireland finished her season of international Rugby matches last Saturday with a victory over Wales, which even the most sanguine hardly had dared to expect. Though the margin in our favour was only two points, no element of fortune marked our success; for the gratifying fact remains that the Welsh line was crossed on four occasions, whereas our own line fell but twice. A steady progress has characterised Irish international play this year. When the Springboks defeated us by no more than five points, hopes for the match against England were high. Two new three-quarters had been found in Mr. Hunt and Mr. Waide, who were known to possess that capacity to attack which had been so sadly deficient in Irish back divisions in recent years. The forwards were tried warriors, and England conspicuously was passing through a lean period. Mr. Burland's place-kicking disposed of our ambitions, but it was manifest, even in our disappointment, that better times were ahead. Success came in no uncertain fashion at Edinburgh, where Dr. Murray's place-kicking rivalled that of Mr. Burland, and enabled us to inflict the most crushing defeat on Scotland that she has suffered for many years. In spite of this triumph, however, many doubted if we could rob Wales of the Triple Crown, as the Principality has robbed us more than once in the past. Irish prospects for next season are rosy. Though the standard of international Rugby this year has not been very high, the Irish team contains several players who, while they are good to-day, will be better to-morrow. One or two, perhaps, who have rendered valuable service in many matches scarcely can survive another season, and we hope that the selectors, when they replace them, will put more faith in attacking than in defensive qualities.

MR. LANG PREFERS CASH IN HANDS.

FORESTALLING SEIZURE OF REVENUE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SYDNEY, Sunday.

State officials, escorted by police, withdrew three-quarters of a million pounds from the Bank of New South Wales to-day. Another sum, exceeding a quarter of a million pounds, was withdrawn from the Commercial Banking Company.

In Federal circles the withdrawals are interpreted as an effort to forestall the seizure of State revenue under the Federal Agreement Enforcement Bill

Mr. Lyons, the Commonwealth Prime Minister, said that the action of Mr. Lang, the State Premier, would not prevent the carrying out of the Federal law compelling the State to meet its obligations.

CHURCH OF IRELAND WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Board of the Widows' and Orphans' Fund of the Church of Ireland met on Thursday. Mr. J. A. Maconchy, chairman, presided, and the other members attending were:—The Dean of Christ Church, the Archdeacon of Armagh, the Archdeacon of Dublin, Canon Hearn, Canon Drury, the Earl of Belmore, Major Wellesley, Captain Carden, Mr. Garvey, and Mr. Meredith Johnston.

One clergyman was enrolled as a compulsory contributor.

The death of two members was noted.

Claims in respect of three widows and two orphans were admitted at full rates.

The draft report and statement of accounts for 1931 were approved. Payments amounting to £3,611 11s. 11d. were ordered. The date of the next meeting is April 21st.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The King and Queen paid a private visit last Saturday afternoon to the India House, Aldwych, which was opened by His Majesty some time ago. The High Commissioner, Sir B. N. Mitra, received the Royal visitors, and conducted them through the building.

The King was represented by the Earl of Dunmore, V.C., and the Prince of Wales by Colonel the Hon. Piers Legh, at the Mass for M. Briand, which was held last Saturday in the Church of Notre Dame de France, Leicester square, London. There was a very large congregation, and at the conclusion of the Mass the Dead March in "Saul" was played.

Yesterday the Queen paid a private visit to the annual exhibition of the Royal Amateur Art Society, which, by invitation of the Earl of Harewood, is being held in Chesterfield House, South Audley street. To-day the Duchess of York will formally open the exhibition.

The Queen, the Princess Royal and the Duchess of York have sent a number of gifts to the sale which will be opened to-morrow in Kensington Town Hall by Mr. G. K. Chesterton in aid of the Royal United Kingdom Beneficent Association.

The Duke of York was the guest of the Princess Royal and the Earl of Harewood at Harewood House at the end of last week. During his stay His Royal Highness visited Huddersfield twice, and on Saturday laid the foundation stone of the Royal Huddersfield Infirmary extension.

Princess Alice and the Earl of Athlone attended the Mi-Carême matinée in aid of the Sussex Eye Hospital and the Lady Chichester Hospital, which took place last Saturday in the Grand Hotel, Brighton.

After a stay of a couple of days at Mount Stewart, County Down, the Marchioness of Londonderry has returned to Londonderry House, Park lane. The Marquis of Zetland and his sister, Countess Fitzwilliam, are prolonging their stay at Mentone. Viscountess Gladstone, who spent a few days in Geneva on her way from Shanghai, returned to London at the end of last week.

The Earl and Countess of Iveagh, with Lady Patricia Guinness and Lady Brigid Guinness, have arrived at Farmleigh, Castleknock, from London.

Mrs. Owen Lewis, who, after a long stay in Dublin, returned to London last month, has met with a serious accident, in which she sustained two broken ribs and other injuries. The fractures have set, and she is reported to be doing as well as can be expected.

The Governors of the Orthopædic Hospital, 22 Upper Merrion street, Dublin, have issued invitations for Wednesday afternoon for the dedication of the cot endowed by the Mount Temple School, under the organisation of Miss Sweeney, an indefatigable supporter of the hospital.

The marriage arranged between Dr. Maiben A. W. Roberts, E.A.M.S., Kenya, and Joy, daughter of Mr. R. H. Ryland and Mrs. Ryland, Sea Lawn, Sutton, will take place on April 6th at Howth Parish Church.

Dr. T. M. Corbet has left Mount Clarence House, Dun Laoghaire, for a few days.

Doctor Ninian Falkiner has left Dublin for one week.

"Berlei" Figure Foundations—An extensive range of the new "Berlei" Spring Models is now being shown by Switzers, Grafton street, who have been appointed Agents for these celebrated Corselettes.

". . . If I had all the money in the world I would buy no other than Ciro Pearls," writes a customer. Genuine Ciro Pearls and Jewellery are obtainable in Ireland only from special Ciro Dept. at Switzers, Dublin.

Holmes' have now received delivery of the Spring Season's Models in Berlei Foundation Garments and Corsets. Our Corsetiere has had special training in the fitting of these garments, which are suitable for every type of figure.—George's street.

Chancellor's Celebrated Watches.—7 Grafton street, Dublin.

Tweed Cardigan Suit with Overcoat to match for 7½ gns. at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Among the arrivals were:—Lieut.-Col. F. F. MacCabe, Lionel F. H. Orr, R.A.F.; Mrs. Lionel F. H. Orr, Lord Allison, Flight-Lieut. Clein, Dr. D. Smyth Austin, Dr. C. H. Bradlaw, I. I. Braidaw, Ian Robertson, Mrs. Grace M. Robertson, D. E. MacCarthy, Robert Holmes, Mrs. Robert Holmes, the Rev. R. E. Weir, Miss K. C. Donovan, Miss Slater, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Walsh, and Miss R. Moffat.

Among the departures were:—Captain, Mrs. and Miss Wandesforde, Dr. and Mrs. Coghlan, Sidney G. Robinson, Dr. E. G. A. Webb, Dr. A. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thornburgh Hanbury, E. Sherwood, D. M. Cathcart, James Lenehan, Miss Sheila Lenehan, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Feill, Captain T. H. Mayes, Mrs. S. E. T. Moran, Mrs. Renahan, B. G. Eustace, C. J. MacCarthy, P. J. McCluskey, L. H. Phillips, J. B. Healy, Mrs. F. M. Sweetman, J. H. Thomas, and Mrs J. McClure.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Among the arrivals were:—Sir Thomas Molony, T. Carlyle, McKenzie Booth, T. Gray, Francis O. Meredith, R. F. Dill, the Rev. Fr. Gough, E. Rigby Jones, Captain Rogers, H. E. Rae, W. Charlton, T. H. Ely, C. F. Hornsby, Miss Rhind, Miss Chambers, Miss Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Beatty, E. Green, F. E. Jones, Mrs. Filgate, Mrs. J. Sinclair, Miss Wordsworth, Miss D. Green, T. Langley, T. Attenborough, C. Graves, Miss and Mrs. Doyle, G. M. Allen, Mrs. Bridge, and Miss Campbell.

Among the departures were:—F. C. Pepper, T. Lindley, E. Rigby Jones, W. A. Brown, M. Gavin, T. McNaughton, Dr. Falkner, R. Cleary, L. H. Owen, T. Vickerman, T. H. Ely, Lieut.-Comdr. Phillips, Mrs. K. Smith, Miss Hughes, J. E. Nickson, Miss Maltby, Mrs. J. W. Walker, Mrs. Pakenham Mahon, T. Peat, Mrs. Rodgers, Miss Good, Mr. and Mrs. Dunscombe, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Nolan, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Mooney, Miss Gray, Miss Graves, and Dublin University golf team.

New Spring Models—Tailored Suits and Frocks, also Tailored Hats from your own Tweed.—Marleen, 31 South Anne street.

Spring Cleaning. Carpets Shaken and Cleaned in our own works.—Millar and Beatty.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors, Specialists in Designing and Cutting. All Models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lower Baggot st.

Davis and Co.—Spring Modes. Choice Collection of Coats, Costumes, Sports Suits and Hats Now on View. Inspection Cordially Invited at 45/6 Grafton street.

THE PRIME MINISTER.

The Prime Minister, who returned to London on Saturday evening, was examined yesterday afternoon by Mr. W. S. Dukeelder, F.R.C.S.

The examination showed that the condition of his left eye continues to be very satisfactory.

It was impressed upon him, however, that in order to maintain this satisfactory condition he must exercise more care and put less strain upon his sight than has been his practice in the past.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Grand National Sweepstake Draw — Plaza, 9.30 a.m.
High and Circuit Courts—The Four Courts, 11 a.m.
Rotary Club Luncheon—Clery's, 1 p.m.
Tariff Commission—Department of Agriculture, 2 p.m.
Civil Service Clerical Association Meeting—Clery's, 5.30 p.m.
Photographic Society of Ireland — Davis Studio, Westmoreland street, 8 p.m.
Historical Society, U.C.D.—Inaugural Meeting, 8 p.m.
Presbyterian Association, Stephen's Green—Dramatic Night, 8 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS.
Gaiety Theatre—"Old Man Murphy."
Olympia Theatre—"One Big Smile."
Sackville Cinema—"Sally in Our Alley."
Metropole Cinema—"Their Mad Moment" and "Riders of the Purple Sage."
Grafton Cinema—"My Wife's Family."
Savoy Cinema—"Married in Haste."
Corinthian Cinema—"The Virtuous Wife" and "The Range Feud."
Theatre Royal—Variety.
Pavilion Cinema—"No Lady" and "Hell Bent for 'Frisco."
Capitol Cinema—"My Sin" and Variety.

"SPOTTED" FEVER AT CAIRO.

The City of Cairo is officially declared to be "infected with cerebro-spinal fever." Several towns and villages in Upper and Lower Egypt are also affected.

DEATH OF LORD ATKINSON.

A FAMOUS IRISH LAWYER.

NOTABLE PART PLAYED IN POLITICAL ISSUES.

We regret to announce the death, which took place yesterday at his London residence, of the Right Hon. Baron Atkinson, P.C., Lord of Appeal in Ordinary.

Lord Atkinson, who had a distinguished legal career, was born on December 13th, 1844, and was the eldest son of Edward Atkinson, M.D., of Glenwilliam Castle, Co. Limerick, and Skea House, Enniskillen, a Justice of the Peace for the County of Limerick, sometime High Sheriff for Drogheda, and Roseta, daughter of Captain John Shaw McCullogh.

Educated privately, and subsequently in Trinity College, Dublin, John Atkinson was admitted to the Bar in Hilary Term, 1865, one among his contemporaries being Hugh Holmes, afterwards Lord Justice of Appeal. An energetic worker, a ready speaker, and gifted, moreover, with an eminently legal turn of mind, he steadily pushed his way to the front among the juniors of the day, acquiring in a few years an extensive general practice. Taking silk in 1880 he soon became a leading member of the Inner Bar, playing a notable part in a long array of important cases, many of which, both at that time and in succeeding years, arose out of the agrarian agitation in its various phases and other political movements in Ireland.

Appointed Solicitor-General in 1889, he proved an admirable law officer, displaying enormous capacities for work, a peculiar facility in mastering details, and, above all, absolute fearlessness. In 1892 he was sworn in of the Irish Privy Council, and became Attorney-General; but his first tenure of that position was exceedingly brief. Shortly after his appointment the Liberal Party acceded to office, holding it until the early summer of 1895, when Lord Salisbury returned to power. Mr. John Atkinson was thereupon re-appointed Attorney-General, and his selection to fill that post, although, of course, it had been expected, gave unqualified satisfaction to the Unionist Party upon both sides of the Channel. He had been called to the English Bar at the Inner Temple in 1890, and was already well-known in London legal and general social circles.

PARLIAMENTARY SEAT.

At the time of his original nomination as First Law Officer of the Crown in Ireland Mr. Atkinson was not a member of the House of Commons. Now, however, he readily found a seat in North Londonderry, and succeeded in retaining it until the close of his Parliamentary career, which extended over the ten years 1895-1905. The Local Government Act, passed in 1899, came into operation the year succeeding, and many fresh obligations devolved upon the Attorney-General. Differences of opinion in 1900 respecting certain points of agrarian policy created a Unionist split, which eventually cost the loss of South County Dublin, a seat previously held by Mr. Horace Plunkett, Vice-President of the new Agriculture and Industries Department.

In the House of Commons Mr. Atkinson was a frequent speaker. Although he made no special reputation as an orator, his robust and unsparing criticism of Irish political opponents and their methods never failed to reach the mark, proving on numerous occasions of invaluable service to the Government as well as to the cause of law and order. In 1900, and during the entire course of 1901, the perplexities of the Executive in Ireland greatly multiplied. Strenuous efforts were being made by the United Irish League to establish its authority over increasing areas in the South and West, while loyalists bitterly complained of the apathy of the Government. In February, 1901, when the late King Edward opened the first Parliament of his reign, a long amendment to the Address was moved by Mr. William O'Brien, who defended the aims of the United Irish League, and accused the Crown officials of having manufactured bogus crime. Mr. Atkinson replied in a characteristically trenchant speech, much and angrily interrupted by the Irish members, declaring that while the League had not, indeed, been proclaimed because evidence was absent of illegality in its objects, yet illegal methods, and boycotting in particular, had been resorted to and recommended by its members. When the Irish Government put in force several of the leading provisions of the Crimes Act of 1887 Mr. Atkinson once more became the object of violent Nationalist attack, of which, as usual, he took no heed.

POLITICAL SEVERANCE.

On December 4th, 1905, it was announced that the Right Hon. John Atkinson, K.C., Attorney-General for Ireland, had been appointed Lord of Appeal in Ordinary in the room of Lord Lindley. Mr. Atkinson thereupon intimated his impending severance from the representation of North Derry to his constituents, with whom during the ten years of his Parliamentary career his relations had been unbroken and always cordial. He had been returned unopposed at the last election, and at that of 1895, when the seat was contested by Mr. Arthur Houston, K.C., in the Liberal interest, he polled 4,763 votes as against his opponent's 2,583. His appointment to high judicial office was a source of sincere gratification to the Bench and Bar of Ireland both on public and personal grounds, as well as to the general community, which fully recognised Mr. Atkinson's claims and the signal ability he had displayed during so long a period of peculiar stress and difficulty. On the 11th of December he was sworn in as a member of the English Privy Council at Buckingham Palace, and on the 19th the new Law Lord was officially gazetted under the style of Baron Atkinson of Glenwilliam, Co. Limerick, the peerage being for life in accordance with the provisions of the Appellate Jurisdiction Act.

He married, in 1873, Rowena (daughter of the late Richard Chute, M.D., of Tralee), who died January 17th, 1911. Lord Atkinson retired from the Bench in February, 1928.

GREAT TENSION IN DELHI.

POLICE DISPERSE MOB OF DEMONSTRATORS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW DELHI, Sunday.

Owing to the continued disturbed state of the city, Section 144 of the Criminal Procedure Code has been promulgated for one month.

In consequence, the public meetings and processions arranged by the Swadeshi League have been abandoned.

The tension is the sequel to the efforts of the police to disperse a crowd of twenty thousand people, consisting of both Hindus and Moslems, which attempted yesterday to hold demonstrations. The Hindus had assembled to celebrate the anniversary of Mr. Gandhi's march to Dandi to make illicit salt two years ago, and the Moslems wished to protest against the arrest yesterday of Mufti Kifayatullah, the first "dictator" of the Jamait Ul Ulema, the Moslem religious body, and the lathi charge which took place on that occasion.

As no notice was taken of the police warning to disperse, three shots were fired in the air and the police charged with lathis, twenty-four persons receiving injuries. The demonstrators persistently re-formed, and it was some time before the situation was brought under control.

OBITUARY.

MR. C. NICOL LEITCH.

The death occurred on Saturday at his residence, Derryvolgie avenue, Belfast, of Mr. Charles Nicol Leitch, the "father" of the flax industry in Ulster. Mr. Leitch, who was in his 87th year, was a native of Scotland, but was educated in Armagh. He entered the flax business about half a century ago, and retired as recently as 1927.

LONDON LETTER.

CABINET PLANS.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,

SUNDAY NIGHT.

The Prime Minister returned to 10 Downing street last night, and will be seen in the House of Commons to-morrow, where he will receive a warm welcome, as his personal popularity is very great. A Cabinet meeting will be held on Wednesday to decide on a number of important matters, the most outstanding of which is the *personnel* of the delegation to the Imperial Conference at Ottawa. There appear to be differences of opinion regarding this delegation, and it is suggested now that it will be headed by Mr. Baldwin, as Mr. Chamberlain, in all probability, will be engaged with the Reparations Conference at Lausanne. If there is a delegation to Canada of four or five Ministers and a delegation to Lausanne of four or five more, it would appear that the great part of the Cabinet will be on foreign service during the summer. Probably Parliament will rise early in July, and will be given a fairly long holiday until early in October. The only big measure which must be passed is the Finance Bill, and it will be introduced on April 19th. It is expected in official circles that this bill will have passed through Parliament early in June, so that the way may be clear, if necessary, for an early adjournment.

Import Duties.

Many inquiries are reaching the newly-formed Import Duties Advisory Committee about steps to be taken regarding the addition of articles to the free list under the Import Duties Act or in regard to the imposition of additional duties. Inquirers are informed that the power to add articles to the free list is limited during the first six months of operation of the Act to cases of special urgency, while additional duties can be imposed only in respect of goods which are chargeable with the general *ad valorem* duty and, in the opinion of the Committee, are either articles of luxury or of a kind which are likely to be produced in the United Kingdom in quantities substantial in relation to consumption. At present the Committee is considering matters of a general character, but afterwards circumstances affecting particular industries will be reviewed in detail.

The National Liberals.

Sir John Simon, the Leader of the National Liberals, does not intend to remain inactive and let the Free Traders run away with Liberalism. A campaign will be carried on throughout the country, so that he and the members of his party may give an ample explanation of the motives which induced them to cast in their lot with Mr. Ramsay Macdonald and the National Government. Sir John Simon will open this campaign by a speech at a big meeting at Norwich, where Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, formerly private secretary of Mr. Lloyd George, is the keen National Liberal member. Further meetings will take place at the earliest opportunity.

Mr. Lloyd George.

The address which will be delivered by Mr. Lloyd George at the Junior Liberal Club on Wednesday is giving rise to much excitement among the various sections of the Liberal Party. It is said that Sir Herbert Samuel's followers have been ordered to abstain from the meeting, though all of them were invited, but this is denied. It is unlikely, however, that any of them will be present. Major Nathan, who will preside at the meeting, does not regard himself as a Samuelite, since he was elected as a Liberal without a label of any kind. The general opinion in political circles is that Mr. Lloyd George is a national figure, and that his return to public life after a serious illness ought to be welcomed by a kindly and gracious reception, quite apart from his views. When he returns to the House of Commons he will sit on the front Opposition bench for the first time in his parliamentary career of forty-two years. When in Opposition to former Governments he sat on the benches below the gangway. Now he will sit by the side of Mr. Lansbury.

Mr. Krueger's Death.

The death of Mr. Ivar Kreuger, the match king, is certain to have its repercussion here to-morrow, though unlikely to cause any great financial disturbance. Rumours regarding the stability of the match trust have been current for some days, and the prices of the Kreuger and Toll "B" Shares have been subject to wide fluctuations. In 1928 these shares were quoted at the high level of 56, but in 1931 they fell to 5. The highest price during the year was 27½. Yesterday they were 6¼, falling ¾ on the day. It is said that the assets of the company are round about £80,000,000 sterling, and include £10,000,000 in foreign Government bonds. Mr. Kreuger was also managing director of the Swedish Match Company, which has a capital of £38,000,000. It operates in this country through the British Match Corporation, which, in addition to its holding here, owns nearly all the match factories in Australia, New Zealand, Canada and South Africa. The "B" Shares of the Swedish Match Company yesterday stood at 4⅝, compared with the high and "record" level of 26¼ in 1928.

The Movement of Gold.

There is some speculation concerning the ultimate destination of the gold which is leaving this country. It appears that most of it is consigned to France, the Netherlands and Switzerland, and that it goes in most cases to the banks, but whether those institutions are retaining all of it is open to doubt. It is regarded as probable that, while the sovereigns consigned to Switzerland may be kept by the banks, those sent to Paris and Brussels may not go in their entirety to the coffers of the financial houses, but that a considerable proportion passes into the hands of private individuals. French peasants have a reputation for hoarding, and it is believed that they are now exercising that peculiarity with our sovereigns.

The Riviera.

Sad stories of the forsaken condition of the South of France, owing to the absence of British visitors, have been related here, but I am told by a friend, who returned yesterday from Nice, that most of the popular resorts are filled with French people and that they are having a gay time generally. Money appears to be quite plentiful, and the women are beautifully dressed and jewelled. The story does not apply, however, to Cannes, the greatest English resort; for there the French, as well as the British, are missing and the hotels are almost empty. A somewhat similar state of things, though not so marked, prevails at Monte Carlo.

The Boat Race.

The surprise of the week in connection with the training of the crews for the University boat race was the full course trial of Oxford in far better time than appeared probable during the first few days of their work over the course; but those who saw the trial consider that conditions favoured the Dark Blues. Despite the improvement made by Oxford, experts express the view that Cambridge should win, the current rate of odds being two to one on. The good impression created by the Light Blues during their early spins has been maintained, and their practice yesterday afternoon was of a particularly impressive character.

Mr Gleadowe Henry Turner, of Kirkleatham Hall, Redcar, a prominent Yorkshireman, died suddenly on Weymouth quay early yesterday, as he was about to board the mail boat for the Channel Islands.

DEFEAT OF HITLER IN GERMAN ELECTION.

HINDENBURG SURE OF SUCCESS IN SECOND BALLOT.

SPLIT REPUBLICAN VOTE POSTPONES DECISION.

MOMENTOUS DAY IN HISTORY OF THE REICH.

GERMANY went to the poll yesterday almost to a man to elect the President for the next seven years. It is believed that fully eighty-five per cent. of the electorate voted, and the policies which the present holder of the office, the veteran Field-Marshal von Hindenburg, and his chief opponent, Herr Adolf Hitler, represent are so widely dissimilar that not only does the Reich stand at the cross-roads, but the result of the election may have a tremendous effect on the rest of Europe.

At an early hour this morning, when the counting of the votes was nearing its conclusion, it was announced that Hindenburg had missed re-election on the first ballot by one per cent.

If the Steel Helmet candidate, Duesterberg, had not divided the Republican vote, Hindenburg would have scored a crushing victory over Hitler and Thaelmann, the Communist nominee.

As it is, Hindenburg is certain of a decisive victory on April 10th, when the second ballot—a straight fight between the two leading candidates—is to be held.

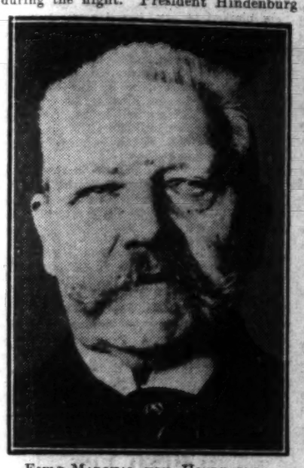
VERY HEAVY POLL.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Sunday.

AT six o'clock the polling booths throughout Germany closed. Voters, reports from everywhere indicate, turned up *en masse*, so that the poll is believed to average 85 per cent.

In Berlin peace prevailed, on the whole, during the night. President Hindenburg



FIELD-MARSHAL VON HINDENBURG.

did not leave his residence during the day.

Three persons are dead as the result of a clash between Communists and Nazis at Remscheidt. In Berlin three hundred persons have been arrested for minor offences during the polling period.

The first result—from the village of Obernsee, in Franconia, was a smashing victory for Hitler; but as more votes were counted Hindenburg's total soared, and for a long while he was holding an absolute majority—essential for election on the first ballot.

PROVISIONAL RESULT.

The provisional official result was announced early this morning as:—

Hindenburg, the retiring President, aged 84 18,418,983

Hitler, a former house decorator and now leader of the Fascists, aged 44 11,144,541

Thaelmann, former transport worker, now leader of the Communist Party, and an honorary General of the Russian Red Army, aged 46 4,924,958

Duesterberg, ex-Lieutenant-Colonel of the German Imperial Army, and now second in command of the "Steel Helmet" organisation, aged 57 2,497,860

Gustav Winter, at present an inmate of Bautzen Jail, who thinks that the Reichsbank ought to cash pre-war bank notes in gold 109,282

The provisional figures are complete for all parts of Germany (subject to minor rectifications) except the State of Mecklenberg, which, however, cannot affect the final result.

Hindenburg swept the Rhineland despite considerable gains by Hitler as compared with the 1930 Reichstag elections. In Mecklenburg the votes were about equally contributed as between Hindenburg and Hitler. Wurtemberg voted strongly for the Field-Marshal.

NAZI DEFEAT IN BAVARIA.

In Bavaria, where the Hitlerites were confident they would carry all before them, Hindenburg has swept the board, and has obtained between two and three times as many votes as Germany's would-be "Mussolini."

Even Munich, the headquarters of the Nazis, gave Hindenburg a majority, the figures being:—Hindenburg, 291,323; Hitler, 102,372; Thaelmann, 56,711; Duesterberg, 9,055; Winter, 3,091.

Hindenburg, with an absolute majority of 230,264 scored a triumph in Berlin City, while Hitler came a bad third to the Communist.

Although Adolf Hitler has been decisively defeated, the Nazis as a party gained votes all over Germany when compared with the last Reichstag election.

The Nazi headquarters in Munich can only express confidence that the tables will be turned in the second ballot next month.

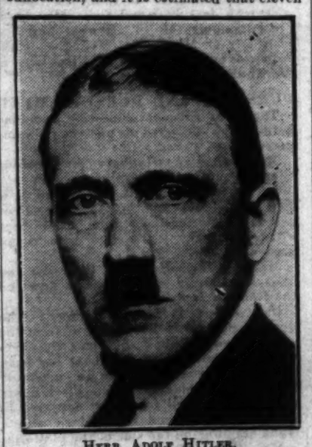
On the present figures Hindenburg is almost certain of a decisive victory, however.

If Lieut.-Colonel Duesterberg, who will poll, as forecast, nearly three million votes, had not split the Republican vote, Hindenburg would have scored a crushing victory over Hitler and Thaelmann.

ALL-NIGHT PRAYERS.

Last night thousands of Cologne Catholics made a pilgrimage to an ancient chapel on the outskirts of the city, and either stood or knelt outside in the freezing cold for three hours. They prayed for Hindenburg's victory at the polls.

Twenty thousand of them returned to the Cathedral and attended a special Mass. The vast building was packed to suffocation, and it is estimated that eleven



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thousand people communicated at fifteen altars, circumstances unparalleled in the long history of the Cathedral. All through the day the Rhineland churches were thronged.

THE SWEEPSTAKE DRAWING.

TO-DAY AT THE PLAZA.

WORLD-WIDE INTEREST.

A VISITOR FROM THE NETHERLANDS.

THE drawing of prizes in the Irish Hospitals' Sweepstake on the Grand National Steeplechase of 1932 begins today. It is the most gigantic thing of its kind yet known in the history of the world. This sweepstake has been responsible for a "record" subscription list. The prize numbers will be drawn from amongst nearly seven million counterfoils. It is said that about £3,400,000 has been subscribed in money.

About £2,250,000 will probably be distributed in prizes ranging from sums of £100 to £30,000. There are few places on the surface of the earth that are not interested in this sweepstake.

REMOVAL OF THE COUNTERFOILS.

On Saturday the counterfoils were taken from the headquarters of the Irish Hospitals' Trust at Earlsfort terrace, Dublin, to the prize-drawing venue at the Plaza, Abbey street, Dublin, in order that they might be mixed one with another many times before being put into the big drum.

This process was witnessed by a small number of privileged spectators, most of whom were Pressmen and photographers or persons identified with the sweepstake. It was a most interesting scene, which, owing to large painting and the dressing and the drilling was made to appear more like a theatrical *scène de ballet* than the very serious business that it was.

THE MIXING STAFF.

The spectacular effect was due to Captain Spencer Freeman, who presided over it all in a tennis scorer's high chair, from which he called out drill orders and directions to some hundreds of girls, dressed in long, white peg-top trousers, seamed with a red stripe and finished with a blue waist-band. As upper garments they wore close-fitting green, sleeveless blouses, with large, white epaulettes, hung with long gold fringes; from the right shoulder to the left of the waist was a white and gold bandolier. Besides these attendants there were also present a number of girl clerks from the Foreign Section, who, in keeping with the special function of ministering to the peoples of all nations, wore each the distinctive native costume of some foreign country.

From early morning until evening this large and brightly attired staff worked at the process of putting the 6,000,000 or 7,000,000 counterfoils three times through the high pressure pneumatic mixing machines, until at last they were carried in canvas bags to the stage and poured by means of large gold-coloured funnels into the portholes of the big drum. This work concluded at 6 p.m. After that time all the girls, Captain Freman and other officials assembled on the stage before the drum and were "talkie-filmed" for nearly half an hour, the proceedings winding up with the singing of Tosti's Serenade, by Miss Peg Martin.

HOLLAND'S INTEREST.

Among the spectators of the mixing of the counterfoils were Lord Powerscourt, Mr. Joseph McGrath, Major-General Sir William Hickie, Major Whewell and several senators and deputies. A most interested visitor wa brought by Mr. P. J. Fleming, director of the Trusts' Foreign Office. This was Mr. H. P. Clasie, an Inspector of the Amsterdam Police, who has come over as the special representative of the Minister for Justice for the Netherlands. Mr. Weenink, the Dutch Consul-General, accompanied Inspector Clasie, who was introduced to Captain Freeman in an interval of the mixing operations.

Inspector Clasie said that the Netherlands Minister for Justice had sent him specially to report on all the proceedings of the running of the Grand National Sweepstake.

TO-DAY'S DRAWING.

To-day's programme will be carried out under the supervision of General O'Duffy, Chief Commissioner of the Civic Guard. The Lord Mayor of Dublin will welcome the guests, and Viscount Powerscourt, K.P., will make the official announcements. When the auditors' report has been read the draw will begin.

No matter how many millions may make up the prize fund, the amount will be divided into £100,000 units, so that every million of prize money will contain ten units. Each unit will be divided as follows:—

A drawer of the winning horse will receive	£30,000
A drawer of the second horse will receive	£15,000
A drawer of the third horse will receive	£10,000
There were originally fifty-one acceptances for the Grand National Steeplechase. Deducting the three placed horses, forty-eight remain, and, whether dead or alive, whether they run or do not run, each of them is worth a prize of about £730. This will absorb	£35,000
The balance of every £100,000 unit will be divided into one hundred £100 prizes.	£10,000
Total	£100,000

In the event of twenty-two units having to be dealt with, £44,000 will have to be allocated out of the total proceeds of the sweepstake for the provision of bonuses to the sellers of tickets which draw placed horses:—

Twenty-two sellers of tickets drawing winning horses will receive each	£1,000
Twenty-two sellers of tickets drawing second horses will receive each	£750
Twenty-two sellers of tickets drawing third horses will receive each	£250
For each unit	£2,000

HOW GREAT BRITAIN HAS FARED.

The order of the drawing for prizes today will be all the horses first—the race itself will decide their value—then the residual cash prizes, and last the £100 cash prizes. It is expected that at least the horse and the residual prizes will be drawn to-day and the other cash prizes on to-morrow and on Wednesday.

The total prize fund of the four previous sweepstakes was £5,528,267, and it is interesting to note that of this huge sum £47,350 was won by Wales; Scotland has won £337,157, and £3,182,139 has gone as prize money to England. So far these three countries have won £3,566,646 out of the four Irish hospital sweepstakes, and nearly all the rest has gone round the world.

AEROPLANES FROM LONDON.

Three de Havilland Puss Moth aeroplanes arrived at Baldonnel Aerodrome yesterday, and will return to London to-day with photographs of the "Sweep" Draw.

NEW MINISTERS AT WORK.

PROGRAMME FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

PROFESSOR BINCHY LEAVING BERLIN.

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

PRESIDENT DE VALERA and his Ministers had a prolonged meeting at Government Buildings on Saturday, but, as has been customary since they came into office, they were exceedingly reserved in their communications to the Press. This is probably due to circumstances other than a disinclination to take the public into their confidence. Allowance must be made for the fact that the members of the Executive Council are new to their work. They must be given time to lay the foundations of their policy and to find their bearings. The absence of information also may be due to the fact that the Executive Council has not yet come to a decision with regard to its permanent staff.

As I indicated last week, Professor Binchy has decided to retire at once from the post of Free State Minister at Berlin, and will return to resume his post at the National University in Dublin almost immediately. Mr. Binchy handed his letter of recall to the President of the German Reich on Saturday morning.

At Government Building on Saturday cards were left on the President by the Consuls-General of the Argentine,

PROFESSOR BINCHY.

Belgium, Poland, the Netherlands, the British Trade Commissioner (Mr. Peters), the Consuls of Czechoslovakia and Uruguay, and the retiring Consul-General of Italy.

QUESTIONS TO MINISTERS.

This week's meeting of the Dail will be of interest, as it will show the new Government in operation. There will be several questions to be answered by Ministers before the financial business is proceeded with. It is not improbable that certain innovations in regard to procedure may be noted.

Unless the Government wishes to inaugurate new legislation it is quite possible that the House may be able to adjourn over the Easter holidays after the sitting on Tuesday.

St. Patrick's Day, which occurs on Thursday, will be a day of special observance. All the members of the Government will attend Mass at the Pro-Cathedral on that morning. This was not customary in previous years, but the intention is to mark in a special way the fifteenth centenary year of the coming of St. Patrick. Later on the usual parade of the Army will take place, and the salute will be taken by the Minister for Defence, Mr. Frank Aiken.

In the evening, between 8 o'clock and 8.15, the President will broadcast a message to America. This will also be sent out from 2 RN, and will be available to listeners at home.

PAY OF THE CIVIC GUARD.

One matter which the new Government will have to take in hand soon is the question of the proposed "cut" in the pay of the Civic Guard. This has been in a state of suspense owing to the change of Government. It seems that the great body of the Guards welcome the suggestion of General O'Duffy that a Commission on the lines of the Desborough Commission should be set up to investigate the whole question of pay and allowances. This, however, could only determine the general situation, and it seems that, as a permanent solution, a tribunal on the lines suggested by certain branches of the Civil Service, to determine all disputes between the State and its servants, would be still more acceptable. No doubt, the new Government will indicate its intentions before it proceeds to disclose the terms of its forthcoming Budget. "Anyhow," the *Garda Review* points out, "the present position in which the State not alone puts forward its own case, but acts also as judge, is contrary to all principles of justice and fair play, and can never be accepted as satisfactory by the Garda."

IRELAND'S VICTORY OVER WALES.

CROWD'S APPRECIATION OF FINE PLAY.

The Irish Rugby Fifteen defeated Wales at Cardiff on Saturday by four tries (12 points) to a dropped goal and two tries (10 points), and now share with Wales the leading position in the Championship table.

The match was of great importance to Wales, as a win would have given the representatives of the Principality Triple Crown and Championship honours.

It was a very fine game, in which the Irish forwards, led by George Beamish, fairly beat the Welsh pack, and provided the Irish backs with the opportunities to score four tries. One of these tries was a brilliant effort by S. L. Waide, who ran three-quarters of the length of the ground, and beat off all opposition before grounding the ball.

The big crowd of 55,000 people present at Cardiff Arms Park were very generous in their appreciation of this fine achievement, which will be put on record as one of the greatest tries scored on the ground.

VALUE OF THE £ ON SATURDAY.

	Fri.	Sat.
New York	15/0	14/11½
Amsterdam	15/1	15/0½
Berlin	14/11½	14/11½
Brussels	14/10½	14/10½
Copenhagen	20/0	20/0
Rome	15/1½	15/1½
Paris	14/10¾	14/10¼

Closing Prices.

SUICIDE OF MATCH KING.

TRAGEDY IN PARIS.

WORLD OF FINANCE SHOCKED.

EMERGENCY MEASURES IN SWEDEN.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENTS.

THE death of Mr. Ivar Kreuger, the Swedish "match king," whose suicide in Paris on Saturday occurred too late to cause a panic on the stock markets of the world, will, nevertheless, have serious repercussions in many countries, though their extent is not yet apparent.

The Swedish Government immediately decided on steps to guard against speculation and to facilitate an undisturbed liquidation of Mr. Kreuger's widespread business activities. On Saturday night a bill was introduced into the Parliament empowering the Government to grant a moratorium to specific concerns for a limited period. The bill will be passed through all stages immediately, so that it becomes law to-day. It is still doubtful, however, whether there will be any necessity for using this power. The Stock Exchange is to be closed till further notice.

The Government Inspector of Banks declares that there is no reason to suspect that the death of Mr. Kreuger will have any serious effect on the position of the Swedish banks. In his opinion the engagements of the banks are, on the whole, satisfactorily covered. In any case, there is no question of closing any bank, even temporarily.

MEETING CALLED.

Mr. Kreuger arrived in Paris, worn in health, but apparently absorbed in world business, on Friday morning, and during breakfast at his flat in the Avenue Victor Emmanuel III. conferred with Mr. Lutterin, vice-chairman of the Swedish Match Company, who had arrived from Stockholm on Thursday. They decided to call a meeting of leading shareholders and several other international industrial figures at eleven o'clock on Saturday morning.

Mr. Lutterin and Mr. Kreuger's secretary both saw him on Saturday morning, and to both he said, "See you shortly."

On Mr. Kreuger's not appearing at the meeting by one o'clock, inquiry was made, and the financier was found lying on his bed fully clothed, shot in the left breast, and with a revolver in his hand. The body was still warm. On the table were three letters, one of which was addressed to Mr. Lutterin, in which Kreuger stated his intention of putting an end to his life.

The police have discovered that Mr. Kreuger went out on Saturday morning on foot and bought the revolver at an armourer's near his flat, and seemed perfectly calm.

The causes of the millionaire's act seem to have been pathological—over-strain, worry, a tired heart (as certified by a specialist), and gigantic responsibilities preying on his mind.

It is declared that he feared a victory by Hitler in yesterday's German election as an exacerbation of the Central European crisis.

Mr. Kreuger's business interests were world-wide. The three concerns with which he was chiefly connected—the Swedish Match Company, the International Match Corporation, and Kreuger and Toll—have vast resources and their activities extend to all parts of the globe.

LOANS FOR MONOPOLY.

The Swedish Match Company is reported to control four-fifths of the world's output of matches. From time to time since the War it has extended its vast field of activity by arranging with Governments for a monopoly in particular countries. In return it has granted loans to Governments amounting to millions of pounds.

Among the countries brought in under this arrangement are Rumania, Germany, Lithuania, Gustemala, Hungary, Yugoslavia, Latvia, Poland, Greece, Turkey and the city of Danzig. The company also has tremendous interests in the United States.

The Kreuger concerns have been hit by the economic crisis and the declaring of moratoria in certain countries, also by the "freezing" of credits in Germany.

WAVE OF SELLING.

During the past week there has been a wave of selling in Wall street, the volume of Kreuger and Toll shares sold amounting to 422,000. The market was closed on Saturday before the death was known, but the sales of these shares accounted for about a quarter of the day's turnover.

A City correspondent writes: I understand on high authority that none of the British banks is involved or will be affected by Mr. Kreuger's death. Any losses which may follow the tragedy will be confined in this country to British holders of shares in the companies involved.

Although Mr. Kreuger was a director of the British Match Corporation, which holds all the issued Ordinary shares of Bryant and May, Ltd., and all the share capital of J. John Masters, Ltd., the Corporation had nothing whatever to do with his immense financial operations, and had no share in them, the Hon. Sir Arthur Stanley states.

It seems (says *The Times* Stockholm Correspondent) that Mr. Kreuger was in urgent need of 120,000,000 kroner, this being the amount due for repayment to the Scandinaviska Kreditaktiebolaget on April 1st. It is understood that the Riksbank had informed him that, if this money were not repaid on that date, he would not be allowed to declare any dividend on the stocks and shares upon which the year's interest is now accruing. Feeling that it was absolutely necessary for him to pay the shareholders something, however little, he had made every effort to borrow, but had failed.

THE DEATH OF M. KREUGER.

From all that is known of the state of the immense international enterprise, of which M. Kreuger was the initiatory and controlling brain, there is reason to accept the undoubted emergency, partly signalised and partly created by his death, without panic, remarks *The Times* editorially to-day. The man, who was driven on Saturday to this last act, was no common adventurer caught up and cornered at last by the self-defeating ingenuity of his devices. He may have made mistakes. Some of his operations have been criticised from time to time as over-confident; but it is clear that he was the victim, not so much of faults in the huge system which he had built up within a brief twenty years, as of a world condition, simultaneously affecting and afflicting every industrialist and every financier in greater or less degree.

The simpler truth would seem to be, not that M. Kreuger has taken the way of suicide out of irretrievable ruin, moral and financial, but that the unimaginable strain of conducting from week to week an immense international business, beset and hampered by every difficulty that the helpless unwisdom and disorganisation of these times have put in its way, exhausted his courage, broke down his nervous resistance, and left him with no more power to fight or even to live.

THE RELEASED PRISONERS IN DUBLIN.

GREAT DEMONSTRATION IN COLLEGE GREEN.

FORMER T.D. AND CLERICAL INTERFERENCE.

LARGE crowds assembled in College Green, Dublin, yesterday, at a Republican demonstration, at which speeches were made by some of the men who were released from prison since Mr. Cosgrave's Government went out of office.

A telegram was received from Clan na Gael in America, pledging support to the Irish Republican Army, and Mr. Sean McBride, who read it, expressed the hope that all the national forces would unite in marching forward towards the achievement of a real Republic for the whole of Ireland.

Mr. Sean McGuinness, formerly a T.D., one of the released prisoners, said that Republicans must put an end to clerical interference in national matters, and expressed the hope that the Papal Nuncio would take immediate steps to have clerical abuse of the confessional removed.

THE MARCH TO THE MEETING PLACE.

Every available inch of space in the wide roadway was occupied, and hundreds of people, in order to view the processions and the great assembly, climbed the railings around the Bank of Ireland and Trinity College, while youths perched themselves on branches of trees in Foster place. There was an air of quiet excitement about the meeting in its early stages, but as the released prisoners were being conducted through the dense crowds towards the platform cheers burst forth on all sides, and there was a surging around the men, who made frantic efforts to press their way through the throng. Mr. Frank Ryan, who came to the meeting in a taxi-cab, was caught in the mass of people, but after many appeals an avenue was made for him, and he was given a great ovation as he was helped on to the platform. People frantically shouted, "Up the Republic," and banners carried before the procession were unfurled and flown in the breeze.

The men of the I.R.A. had, according to instructions issued publicly a few days previously, formed up in ranks, and marched from North Frederick street and Mountjoy square to College Green, headed by banners, while many women wearing the green uniform of Cumann na mBan, with Sam Brown belts, were seen in the gathering and on the platform, which was occupied by the ex-prisoners, as well as by Madame Gonne MacBride, Mrs. Sheehy-Skeffington and Mrs. Despard. The speeches were amplified through loud-speakers placed at various points on College Green, and prior to the actual speech-making musical items were broadcast.

Two bands accompanied the procession. days previously, formed up in ranks, The ex-prisoners present were George Gilmore, Claude O'Loughlin, J. Hannigan, Frank Ryan, P. E. Sweeney, Thomas McGrath, George Mooney, Richard Stephens and Sean McGuinness.

TERENCE MCSWINEY'S PROPHECY.

Mr. Michael Fitzpatrick introduced the released prisoners individually to the meeting.

That great meeting, he said, was a fulfilment in itself of the prophecy of Terence McSwiney, that workers in their cause could endure more than their opponents could inflict. Leaders of the I.R.A. had been hunted down for the last ten years, while the people they had tried to emancipate had remained apathetic, and last October the enemies of Ireland, with the aid of British Imperialism, sought to kill the militant revolutionary organisation. (Shouts of "Never.")

GREETINGS FROM CLAN NA GAEL.

Mr. Sean McBride, the Secretary of the Republican Prisoners' Reception Committee, read a telegram from the Clan na Gael organisation in America pledging all their support to the Irish Republican Army, and urged it to carry on the fight.

Mr. McBride said that no men in the country were more deserving of the great welcome than the released prisoners, who had undergone torture while incarcerated in prisons for the last few months. That day was the first day in ten years on which there had not been a single political prisoner in any gaol in the Free State. They had come through ten years of coercion, in which every method imaginable had been used to try to crush the I.R.A. They had now emerged from the state of coercion stronger than ever.

"To-day the volunteer organisation should be proud to have produced such men," said Mr. McBride. "We must remember amidst our rejoicing that, while the day of coercion has passed for a time, the task we have set ourselves to achieve has not yet been achieved. We still have that task in front of us."

AIMS OF THE I.R.A.

Mr. McBride then read the objects and aims of the Irish Republican Army, which briefly are: That they shall guard, honour and uphold the sovereignty and unity of the Republic; they would uphold the lawful Government in absolute control of the Republic; give equal civil and religious liberty to all citizens, and revive the Irish language, and develop the best characteristics, mental and physical, of the Irish race.

"A change of Government has taken place," said Mr. McBride. "Our aims are not yet achieved. May I express the hope that all national forces in this country will now unite in marching forward towards the achievement of a real Republic for the whole of Ireland. We can assure the people of Ireland that the Irish Republican Army will advance until this success is achieved; until the Irish Republic has been established here.

THE BISHOPS' PASTORAL.

CHALLENGE TO PATRIOTIC MEN.

Mr. Sean McGuinness, ex-T.D., one of the prisoners, said that for the last ten years Ireland had bled under one of the most cruel tyrannies ever let loose on the land. He compared what he described as the butchery by Cosgrave and his party to the butchery by Kitchener and his gang in South Africa. The members of the defunct Executive Council were, he thought, a menace to society and the independence of Ireland, and it behoved all Republicans to unite and wipe out that menace at all costs.

The new Government, which they were glad to see in power, was now in a position to indicate its sincerity in the grand old struggle for liberty, and any step they might take in that direction would be appreciated by Republicans. If they showed that they were prepared to bring the nation on the road to independence, they would not find that the I.R.A. would be antagonistic; rather that the I.R.A. would be behind them.

Referring to the Bishops' joint Pastoral, Mr. McGuinness mentioned that at the time that it was read in Mountjoy he was the only political Catholic prisoner, and as a protest he walked out of the chapel. In every generation, he asserted, the Bishops had been opposed to every movement that had for its object the freedom of Ireland.

Republicans, said Mr. McGuinness, must be up and doing and put an end to clerical interference with national matters. He was a sound Catholic and a member of the I.R.A. and of Saor Eire, and since he could speak for both organisations he could say that his Catholic faith was not impaired by membership of those bodies.

He hoped that the Papal Nuncio would take immediate steps to have the clerical abuse of the confessional removed.

A CHALLENGE TO BE MET.

The attitude of the Bishops, in supporting the domination of national forces, was a challenge to all patriotic men and women, and it was a challenge that must be met and defeated. He appealed to the people to join Saor Eire, because, he said, there was no use talking about freedom unless it was based on the sovereign independence of the country. Although he was refused spiritual aid by the prison chaplain because he refused to forswear Saor Eire, he did not consider that he was any the worse as a Catholic for having done so.

Mr. Peader O'Donnell said that in the midst of their rejoicing it was a great pity that they had not called on Mr. FitzGerald-Kenney, Mr. Desmond FitzGerald and other ex-Ministers, to bring them to the meeting and get them to repeat the statements that they had made about the prisoners, their conduct and treatment.

The treatment meted out to persons who had taken part in national activities had to some extent poisoned their minds, and it might take some time to have that poison cleared away.

There was, he was sure, going to be greater freedom and exchange of thought now that the prisoners were out of prison. There was new courage abroad.

A POSSIBLE DANGER.

Mr. George Gilmore, who announced that he was there against his doctor's instructions, said that the present position was full of possibilities for good and also for harm. The danger was that people, in their relief at the removal of the old Government, might be inclined to think that everything was going to come out all right, and might not see the necessity for continuing effort on their part. The ultimate victory of the Republic depended not so much on one government being in power, but depended on the support of the mass of the people.

Mrs. Sheehy-Skeffington, Madame Gonne McBride, Mr. James McGrath (Belfast) and Mr. Frank Ryan also spoke.

MEETINGS IN THE COUNTRY.

CLARE PRISONERS WELCOMED.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

ENNIS, Sunday.

A little after 5 p.m. yesterday Messrs. T. J. Ryan, of Cranny; Sean Hogan, of Tullassa; Thomas Breen, of Coolmeen, and Conor Healy, of Cork, arrived here in motor cars. They were met on the outskirts of the town by two bands, and escorted by cheering crowds of people to O'Connell square, where an enthusiastic meeting was held.

Mr. T. V. Honan, who presided, assured the people that, although the prisoners had suffered the "torments of the damned, and their bones were almost broken," their spirit and determination for the complete freedom of the thirty-two counties of Ireland were unchanged.

Mr. Griffin, referring to the Military Tribunal, described it as the most hypocritical tribunal that had ever disgraced any land, and he thanked God that the day had come when such a tribunal was an evil memory of the past.

Mr. Sean Hayes also addressed the meeting, and referred to the overthrow of the recent Government, which was the greatest affliction that any country could be burdened with.

MAYO PRISONERS IN ATHLONE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

ATHLONE, Sunday.

On their arrival in Athlone on Saturday a hearty reception was accorded to Messrs. Brian Corrigan and Sean Mulgrew, two of the released Republican prisoners, who were on their way to their homes in Achill, Co. Mayo. Large crowds gathered outside Claxton's Hotel, from the balcony of which short speeches were delivered.

Mr. J. Russell, who introduced the

FROM "THE TIMES."

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

LONG SERVICE AS A JUDGE.

The announcement of Lord Atkinson's death which occurred yesterday, at the age of eighty-seven, will be received with sorrow by all who were acquainted with his kindly and unconventional personality (says *The Times*). The Bar especially will recall that in his long service as Lord of Appeal-in-Ordinary he displayed in a high degree the judicial qualities of sound commonsense, industry, scrupulous fairness and consideration to all who practised before him.

John Atkinson, the son of Edward Atkinson, M.D., J.P., of Glenwilliam, Co. Limerick, was born on December 13, 1844, and educated at the Belfast Academy and the old Queen's University. He was called to the Irish Bar in 1865 and soon acquired a large miscellaneous practice, as the result of which he became a Q.C. at the early age of thirty-five. He was called to the English Bar by the Inner Temple in 1890, and was elected a Bencher in 1906. He was briefed occasionally in Irish appeals before the House of Lords, but his most important appearance on either side of the Irish Channel was before the Parnell Commission as one of the counsel for *The Times* in 1888, when his knowledge of Irish conditions and skill in handling witnesses were of great assistance to his leaders.

In 1899 he was appointed Solicitor-General for Ireland, but he was without a seat in the House of Commons until the general election of 1895, when he was returned as Conservative member for the North Division of Londonderry, and was then made Attorney-General for Ireland. In the conduct of his office he showed industry, resource and courage, and Mr. Balfour was understood to place great reliance on his principal Irish Law Officer, who was successful and popular in the House of Commons.

In 1905 Atkinson was appointed a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary, with a life peerage, the first Irish barrister to be appointed direct from the Bar, his predecessors, Lord Fitzgerald and Lord Morris, having each served many years on the Irish Bench. The appointment was not received with unanimous approval by the profession. Though it had been customary for one of the Lordships of Appeal to be held by an Irishman, the precedent had not invariably been followed—indeed, Atkinson's immediate predecessor had himself been an exception to the rule, and, whatever might in theory be said for the custom, the fact remained that Lord Lindley, one of the greatest judges of his generation, was being succeeded by a political lawyer who had up to that time revealed no special legal qualifications for the office. It will, however, be generally agreed that Atkinson proved a great addition to the judicial strength of the two supreme tribunals. He was attentive and industrious, and a remarkable memory enabled him to assimilate legal proceedings and principles, with many of which, at the start of his judicial career, he must have been unfamiliar. Above all, his instinctive sense of justice led him through the subleties that might cloud the vision of some of his more intellectual colleagues to the real merits of a case, and so to what the conclusion should be. His weakness lay in a deficiency in the sense of style which rendered his judgments diffuse, and even sometimes obscure. Apart from their style, however, it must be said that his judgments had much to recommend them. They showed great industry and independence of mind, he was never merely acquiescent or disposed to concur in the opinion of a colleague whom he might think more learned than himself, and he had a very strong sense of doing justice, and a fund of shrewd good sense assisted him to this end. As one who knew him well remarked: "If Atkinson's judgments were as good as his judgment he would be a great judge indeed."

Furthermore, it may be surmised that the tribunals of which he formed part owed to him a debt beyond his literary contribution to the expression of his own opinion. He was modest almost to a fault in claiming merit for the work which he put into a case.

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speakers, said that it was the first time in the last ten years that the jails of the Free State were free from political prisoners, and if the Republicans in the country worked properly the jails would never again confine political prisoners.

Sean Mulgrew said it was very easy to smile when they had the crowd with them, but when they were fighting with their backs to the wall it was not such an easy matter.

Brian Corrigan stated that he was arrested by the hirelings of England in Ireland, beaten, kicked and offered bribes to give away his comrades to smash the Republican movement. He would not do it.

ARRIVAL IN WESTPORT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

WESTPORT, Sunday.

Messrs. Mulgrew and Corrigan received an enthusiastic reception here last night. They were met outside Westport by over thirty motor cars and a band and escorted to West Hotel, where tea was served, after which they left for Newport and Achill.

THE KERRY PRISONERS.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LISTOWEL, Sunday.

On Saturday night a most enthusiastic reception was given to Messrs. O'Driscoll, O'Connor, Shea and Sheehan, the Kerry prisoners, on their arrival here. The town was ablaze with tar barrels, while most of the houses were decorated with the tricolour. The men were met by six companies from different districts, numbering 250 each, about four miles from the town, and a procession, headed by the Listowel brass band, led the way to the square, where the reception committee held a public meeting.

Mr. Donal O'Donoghue, Dublin, said that those present did not, or could not, realise what the prisoners endured in Arbour Hill, but with men like Commandant O'Connor and the other prisoners they would have no difficulty in achieving what they were fighting for. They had not a full measure of freedom. The Six Counties were still under British rule, but they would have it, even if they had to resort to physical force—the physical force belonging to the organisation to which these men belonged, the organisation of the Irish Republican Army.

LONGFORD WELCOMES LEITRIM MAN.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONGFORD, Sunday.

Over four thousand people from all parts of the county and the adjoining counties of Leitrim and Roscommon assembled in Longford to-day to welcome Mr. Sean O'Farrell, ex-T.D., Leitrim, on his release from prison. A mile beyond the town his motor car was met by a procession, in which were four bands, Boy Scouts, I.R.A., and the general public.

A public meeting was held in Main street, at which Mr. Michael Hearne presided.

Mr. Sean O'Farrell, who was received with repeated rounds of cheering, said that they had been told a few months ago from the Press and the pulpit that the I.R.A. men were anti-God and anti-Christian, and under that smoke-screen an attempt was made on the cause that they all loved so much; but that whirlwind campaign of calumny had failed, as the polls testified. He described the treatment of the prisoners as hell upon earth, worse than would be meted out to the brute beast in the field. They were denied clothing when they refused to wear the prison garb, kept in solitary confinement, got nothing but bread and water, and every effort was made to break them physically and mentally.

MR. MCGUINNESS AND THE PASTORALS.

From Our Own Correspondent.

TULLAMORE, Sunday.

Mr. Sean McGuinness received a very hearty welcome to Tullamore to-night. He was met some distance outside the town by a torchlight procession and a number of bands, and on his arrival in the town, at about 9.30 p.m., he addressed a monster meeting, under the chairmanship of Mr. P. F. Adams.

Mr. McGuinness strongly criticised the past Administration. The result of the recent election had cut right through the pastorals of the bishops this year and in 1922 in so far as these pastorals interfered with the organisations that had for their purpose the freedom of Ireland. The Treaty instead of achieving freedom had created a new aristocracy that became grafted to the old, and that combination had been responsible for the desolation and ruin that had taken place during the past ten years.

While they were all glad to welcome the new Government, they could not take too much for granted. Ireland was still unfree and partitioned, and while that position remained there would be always justification for the continuity of the I.R.A.

THE WEEK IN PARLIAMENT.

ESTIMATES AND WHEAT BILL DISCUSSIONS.

From Press Association Lobby Correspondent.

The remaining stages of the Financial Emergency Enactments Bill, which continues for another twelve months the special powers given last autumn to the Treasury and Board of Trade regarding the foreign exchanges and the supplies and prices of foodstuffs, will be disposed of in the House of Commons to-day. This bill will be carried into law before Parliament adjourns for the Easter recess.

The main votes of the Air, Navy and Army estimates will be considered on report to-morrow. Further progress will be made with the Committee stage of the Wheat Bill on Wednesday and Thursday.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

At the Central Criminal Court on Friday last Patrick Whelan was sentenced to six months' imprisonment for receiving four cattle knowing them to have been stolen. He was not convicted of stealing the cattle, as appeared in the report.

The Devonport-manned ships of the Home Fleets returned to Plymouth yesterday on the termination of the spring cruise.

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SYMPATHY WITH THE WORKLESS.

CHURCH AND WORLD PROBLEMS.

CALL FOR IMPARTIAL INVESTIGATION.

THE following resolutions concerning unemployment, slum clearance, disarmament and the Far Eastern trouble were adopted at a meeting of the United Council of Christian Churches:—

"The United Council of Christian Churches in Ireland is deeply concerned with the gravity of the situation which has arisen owing to the lack of employment in Ireland, Great Britain and some other parts of the world. It regards as a challenge to the Christian Church the fact that multitudes of men and women in Christian countries and elsewhere who desire to earn their daily bread are unable to find employment. The world is confronted with the perplexing position that, while there is a great over-production (so called) of commodities, there are, at the same time, great numbers of people on the verge of starvation.

"The U.C.C.C. is persuaded that the world situation should be carefully, impartially and scientifically viewed, and appeal to the Churches they represent to seek Divine guidance and bear their part in promoting without delay such an investigation.

"Meantime it declares its great sympathy with those who desire to earn their livelihood by honest work, and are precluded from so doing in the present circumstances.

"Pending a comprehensive solution of the problem, it calls upon Christian people to see to it that whatever money may be at their disposal for expenditure is used as far as possible for the purchase of those commodities which, in their production, provide the largest amount of labour, and in every other possible way to do what they can to enlarge the field of employment."

On the subject of slum clearance the Council adopted a resolution:—

"That the United Council of Christian Churches in Ireland desires to make a strong protest against the proposal recently put forward that the slum clearance should be financed in the Irish Free State by means of sweepstakes. The Council calls upon both State and local authorities to do their part faithfully in this urgent matter."

With regard to disarmament and the war in the Far East the resolutions were:—

"The Council expresses its profound gratitude that the declarations of the delegates of the fifty-one nations attending the Conference at Geneva on Disarmament have manifested so encouraging an advance on all previous announcements.

"The Council strongly supports the prayer of the many millions of signatories to the petitions from all lands presented to the Conference that an effective reduction in all armaments be determined upon, together with the prohibition of all weapons designed for purposes of aggression.

"The Council pleads with all members of the Churches which it represents, and with all Christian people who may read these words for their continued and most earnest prayers that through the Divine guidance and blessing the deliberations of this vitally important Conference may lead to a successful issue.

"That this meeting of the United Council of Christian Churches in Ireland urges the representatives of Great Britain and the Irish Free State in the Assembly of the League of Nations to make whatever efforts may be possible to secure the speedy restoration of peace and to bring about the fulfilment in the Far East of the obligations which Japan and China have solemnly pledged themselves to observe under the Covenant of the League of Nations and the Kellogg-Briand Pact.

"The U.C.C.C. deplores the terrible sufferings that many of the Chinese civilian population have endured from a state of war, which, in fact, has arisen contrary to these obligations."

MISSING YOUNG WOMAN.

SEARCH CONTINUED BY THE CIVIC GUARD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

CLIFDEN, Sunday.

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Dr. Josephine Enright from the Railway Hotel, Clifden, on Wednesday, has been, perhaps, brought a step nearer solution by the discovery this afternoon at the beach at Belleek, about two miles from Clifden, where a lady's coat was found on Thursday, of a small sum of money, a bunch of keys, a lady's necklace, a handbag, and a box containing some tablets.

Some of the articles were found by Mr. J. P. Stewart, of Clifden, and others by a number of boys who were out searching for the missing young woman.

The articles were handed over to the Civic Guard, but they have not so far been identified as belonging to Dr. Enright.

Dr. Enright. who is daughter of Professor Enright, of Iona road, Dublin, left Manchester, where she was engaged in a hospital, on Tuesday. The parents of the missing woman and a brother arrived in Clifden on Saturday.

Civic Guards are searching the bay in boats.

TROUBLE OVER A POISONED DOG.

BRITISH MINISTER TO LEAVE VENEZUELA.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

CARACAS (VENEZUELA), Sunday.

Mr. W. E. O'Reilly, the British Minister to Venezuela, is, at his own request, leaving Venezuela in November, after five years of useful work. He is very much liked in diplomatic and social circles here, and was considered very friendly to Venezuela; but, owing to the action of the Venezuelan Government in declaring him *persona non grata*, Mr. O'Reilly felt that he could no longer remain, and asked to be recalled.

Mr. O'Reilly, who was a lover of dogs, protested last October to the Venezuelan authorities against the regulations requiring that all animals found in the streets without a collar or muzzle would be liable to be poisoned. In spite of his protest, his own terrier, to which he was much attached, was poisoned last December, though it was wearing a collar with the words "British Legation" stamped on it, but had temporarily slipped its muzzle.

The Minister, deeply grieved, took the carcass to the office of the Director of Public Health, and left it there, with a card stating "This is your work. Many thanks." The Venezuelan authorities declare that he characterised the action in opprobrious terms, but this the Minister denies.

BOY CYCLIST FATALLY INJURED.

COLLISION WITH MOTOR CAR.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LURGAN, Sunday.

When a boy named Albert Uprichard, aged sixteen, residing with his parents in New street, Lurgan, was riding a push bicycle, on which was a can of milk, on the main Lurgan-Portadown road on Saturday night, he came into collision with a motor car at Tullygally, about a mile from Lurgan. There were six or seven persons in the car.

The boy was rendered unconscious, and was taken in the motor car to Lurgan Infirmary, where he died three hours after admission.

INDIVIDUALISM IN INDUSTRY.

WAY TO A TRADE REVIVAL.

VIEW OF RECORDER OF BELFAST.

From Our Own Correspondent.

BELFAST, Saturday.

THE Recorder of Belfast (Judge Thompson), speaking at the annual dinner of the Belfast Association of Engineers, which was held to-night in the Carlton, Belfast, stressed the value of individualism in industry. He pointed out that Belfast was created and developed by the efforts of individual industrial leaders of the past, and suggested that the solution of the industrial difficulties of to-day was to bring back the individualist and abolish hampering restrictions on trade and industry.

JUDGE THOMPSON.

Responding to the toast of the "City and Trade of Belfast," which was proposed by the Lord Mayor (Sir Crawford M'Cullagh, J.P.), the Recorder said that he recently saw it stated in a communication on propaganda on behalf of agriculture that the real wealth of a country was the products of its soil and factories. The products of factories were largely the products of man, and he thought it was wrong to say that the real wealth of a district or community necessarily came from its soil, because if that were so why were not the forests of the Amazon or the islands of the South Pacific the most prosperous and crowded parts of the world? On the contrary, if the product of the soil was the important thing, how did it come that their city came to be important at all?

"If you look back a hundred years," he said, "what was the site of Belfast—a dismal mud flat and barren mountains, with a tiny stream meandering through it. It was not the soil, but its men and women, that were the real wealth of the community. Belfast in the past had men of ability, able to see and foresee and plan and carry out. It had men of courage, who were prepared to take risks and burn their boats if necessary, to scrap their plant if required, to undertake an entirely novel experiment if necessary. Men of industry, who were not afraid to work themselves, hard and long, in order to secure success.

"They took their meandering stream and dug it and banked it and dredged it, and made a river out of it, and made one of the greatest ports of the world, and planted the greatest shipyard in the world on its banks, and turned out from there some of the marvels of engineering that sailed the oceans of the globe.

VIRTUES AND VICES.

"The men who did that were great individualists. They had the virtues and vices of individualists. If they were far-seeing, they were often quite unmerciful to those not as sagacious as they were. If they were energetic, they worked their workers harder still. If they were strong-minded, they were often most stubborn and intolerant to deal with, and if successful, they were very often greedy and took a big share of the profits that were made.

"They relied upon themselves. They did not look to the Government for help, but they wanted to be left alone by the Government, and, fortunately, they were, and, therefore, they succeeded.

"The great businesses that these men built up are some of them now finished, and some are hanging on, and others are hoping for better days. The workpeople are no longer able to get work. They are largely on the dole, and what is to be done about it? How is it to be remedied? Well, some might say—bring back the individual. We need his energy, his self-reliance, foresight and planning ability, and if we cannot get it without his greediness, it would pay us over and over again to put up with his selfishness.

"Some might say," proceeded the Recorder, "that this was quite impossible. I believe it is entirely unlikely, because at the present time individualists are unpopular. They run entirely contrary to the feelings of these days. He is resented. He is called a 'profiteer.' He is no longer called a merchant prince or a pioneer in industry. The whole tendency now is to check the 'profiteer,' to prevent him making profits, and when he has made them to take his profits from him. The equalitarian idea resents strongly the idea that one man was much better than another. One man is as good as another nowadays.

"Well, as an alternative, we can have government. We can have government on municipal trading. We could have a commission to find out what should be done and a committee to carry it out. I am on the unpopular side in this case, because I profoundly distrust both Government and municipal trading.

"In politics and in business it is often the unexpected that happens. Who knows, there might be some new development of power awaiting us; some new development of steam, oil, electricity or wireless; something that may revolutionise industry and open up a new path to prosperity, and, if that is so, I know that your profession will be in the forefront in taking hold of it."

Mr. D. Mellon, A.R.C.Sc.I., A.I.C. (Dublin), responded to the toast of "Our Guests," proposed by Mr. Alex Brown, past president. He said that he was glad to be present on behalf of the Irish Association. No one, except a few politicians, ever referred to his part of the country as the Irish Free State, but as Ireland, and he hoped it would always be Ireland. The connection between his Association and the Belfast Association was very close and of long standing. There was one thing that he would like to see before he died, and that was the abolition of the border and its customs formalities. He hoped the time would come when they would make one huge bonfire on the border of the customs forms bound with red tape, and perhaps it would not be any harm if they had a few politicians to put on top of the heap to season it. (Laughter.)

GANG CHIEF TO RANSOM BABY?

From Reuter's Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Sunday.

The gang chief, Salvy Spitale, called in by Lindbergh to negotiate for the return of the kidnapped baby, is rumoured, says the *Brooklyn Eagle*, to have left with a lawyer in an aeroplane yesterday for an unknown destination.

It is believed they are bound for Detroit with a ransom of 250,000 dollars.

CROSS-COUNTRY FLYING.

A paper on "Cross-Country Flying" was read by Mr. West Johnston at a meeting of the Dublin University Engineering Society held on Saturday. Mr. Johnston dealt, in the course of an interesting address, with the use of special air maps, the aerial compass, the air speed indicator, and the clock as aids to aerial navigation.

When the United States Line's flagship, Leviathan, the second largest liner in the world, re-enters the Atlantic service next month, her itinerary will be changed, so that she will omit Southampton on the eastward run, and instead call at Plymouth and Bremen. This will be the Leviathan's first visit to Plymouth and to a German port since the war.

Mr. Henry Edmund Christy, of Lordington (near Emsworth, Hants), Chichester, Sussex, interested in Messrs. W. M. Christy and Co., Ltd., towel manufacturers, of Manchester and London, who died on 13th December last, aged 66 years, left estate of the gross value of £77,914 16s. 3d., with net personalty £68,313 17s. 11d. Probate of his will and codicil, both dated June 5th, 1929, has been granted to his widow, Mrs. Ethel Mary Christy, of the same address, and his brother-in-law, Admiral Robert Stewart Phipps Hornby, R.N., of Lordington House, Chichester.

FREE STATE TRADE.

THE FIGURES FOR JANUARY.

TOTAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS DOWN.

COMPARED with January of last year, the Irish Free State trade returns for January, 1932, disclose an increase of £640,260 in the adverse trade balance, the figure for that month standing at £1,205,616. Imports in January of this year totalled £3,585,278, exports £2,329,592, and re-exports £52,070 giving a total volume of trade worth £5,966,940, as against £6,646,016 in January, 1931.

The bulk of the trade was done with Great Britain, imports from which were valued at £2,447,502, or £110,000 less than in January, 1931.

Free State exports to Great Britain amounted to £2,051,727, or £527,775 less than in January, 1931.

Imports from "other countries" increased from £684,985 to £771,152. The largest contributor to this amount was Argentina, which more than doubled its shipments to the Irish Free State, the value of these being £197,153 last January as against £83,099 in the corresponding period of 1931. Imports from the United States of America amounted to £145,359, as against £230,372 last year. The value of imports from British India rose from £181 in January, 1931, to £46,055 in January last, while Australia increased her exports to the Free State from £37,135 to £67,858. There were no imports from Soviet Russia, and exports to that country were only worth £3.

FIGURES FOR "OTHER COUNTRIES."

A general idea of the trade with principal "other countries" may be gathered from the following list of imports and exports to and from the Irish Free State:—

January, 1932.	Imports. £	Exports. £
Australia	67,858	687
Canada	33,017	1,286
British India	46,055	4,240
Straits Settlements	3	4,195
Argentina	197,153	190
Belgium	54,074	5,318
Czecho-Slovakia	16,110	27
France	10,362	1,721
Germany	76,010	4,905
Netherlands	19,839	4,924
Sweden	21,777	1,330
United States of America	145,359	8,461
Algeria	14,881	—

Looking down the list of goods imported one notes 532 cattle, valued £5,657, and 185 horses, worth £95,065, with other live animals, worth £6,805. Their total value was £107,527, as against £96,142 last year.

FOODSTUFFS OF ANIMAL ORIGIN.

There was a substantial drop in the import value of foodstuffs of animal origin, the total being £132,269, as against £208,925. Chilled or frozen beef imports increased from £279 to £703, and beef extracts and essences by £1,100 to £8,192. Chilled or frozen mutton and lamb imports have increased from £81 to £448. Imports of bacon and hams, however, dropped from £92,570 to £50,891, and pigs' heads from £5,294 to £1,904. Butter imports dropped from £23,960 in January, 1931, to £8,944 last January, and cheese imports from £11,778 to £7,027.

The total value of imports under this head was £132,269, as against £208,925 in January last year.

CEREALS AND STOCK FOODS.

Wheat imports dropped from £133,605 to £83,478, but imports of maize increased from £120,673 to £248,773. Wheaten flour, on the other hand, dropped from £123,365 to £113,741, while maize meal went up by £10,000 to £37,075. Bran and pollard for stock-feeding were imported to the extent of £25,356, compared with £18,943 in January, 1931. Linseed cake and meal fell from £28,438 to £24,811, and oilseed cake and meal from £16,284 to £15,614.

The value of other animal feeding stuffs imported, excluding molasses, was £30,395, or £3,000 more than the previous year.

While there was a decrease in the total quantity of fruit and vegetables imported, the value of these products being placed at £112,877, or £7,000 less than in January, 1931, there were increases in the quantity of imported apples, bananas and oranges consumed. This shows the growth of the demand for fresh fruit. Apples went up from £16,718 to £21,674; bananas from £4,877 to £5,390; oranges from £22,851 to £24,648, and other fruit from £11,584 to £13,138. Fruit in syrup, tinned or bottled, dropped from £14,602 to £2,733, but there was an increase in imports of jams, marmalade, etc., to the extent of £186, the total value being £2,187.

In the same section it appears that 10,921 cwts. of potatoes, worth £4,097, were imported last January, against 16,437 cwts., valued at £3,017, in January last year.

OTHER IMPORTS.

Other articles of food imported included bakers' bread and buns to the value of £16,478, showing an increase of £500; a sum of £133,487 for tea, a reduction of £35,000; £51,476 for sugar, and £44,326 for hops.

Imports of beer and ale increased about £3,500 to £18,879, but those of spirits declined by about £5,000 to £9,953. White wines dropped from £20,677 to £13,726. There was an increase in the import of unstemmed tobacco of £5,000, bringing the total up to £30,109.

There were decreases in all classes of coal—£24,000 in the case of household coal and £2,500 in the case of steam coal. A sum of £34,461, against £27,196, was spent on cement for building.

There was an increase in imports of dairy machinery to the extent of £1,350, and in printing and bookbinding machinery of £3,000, the total being £58,710.

There was a drop of 75 per cent. in the imports of deals, planks and boards, and an increase in imports of wood, planed or dressed; floorings, etc.

TEXTILES.

The value of textiles, except apparel, imported amounted to £267,936, as against £258,390 in January, 1931. Cotton piece goods, linen yarns and linen manufactures, carpets and coir rugs of wool were amongst the sections to show an advance, while woollen and worsted yarns and tissues showed a falling-off.

Wearing apparel generally dropped from £303,204 to £293,029, with increases under the heading of overcoats, mackintoshes, oilskins, and light leather boots for men and women alike. Imported hides and skins were worth £1,005, as against £313 in 1931, and fur skins dressed and manufactured £800, a slight increase on the previous year.

Rubber and rubber manufactures, except apparel, worth £32,524, were imported last January, an increase of £9,000 as compared with January, 1931.

Under the heading of oil seeds, oils, etc., imports advanced from £135,239 to £162,513, gas and fuel oil, petroleum lamp oil and lubricating oil being the chief contributors. Fertiliser imports were worth £40,709, as against £37,642 in January, 1931.

THE EXPORTS.

The number of cattle exported in January was 63,843, as against 66,553 in January, 1931, and the value of this year's lot was £1,064,804. Most foodstuffs of animal origin were exported in smaller quantity than in January, 1931, the total being £343,293, against £551,044 in January of last year. The exceptions were:—Fresh milk, including separated and buttermilk, of which 48,416 gallons were exported, against 32,929 gallons in January of last year, the value of this year's consignment being £2,855; and cream to the value of £29,657, against £24,593 last year.

Exports of cereals and feeding stuffs for animals dropped from £31,434 to £7,828; while there was a drop in the export of biscuits of £3,745, their total value being £24,828. Potatoes, other than seed, were shipped to the extent of £26,282, the quantity being 66,071 cwts. In January, 1931, 64,533 cwts. of such potatoes were worth £13,666.

There was a drop in the export of porter, beer and ale, which was valued at £282,517, against £381,568 in January, 1931. Spirits dropped from £16,097 to £6,650. Food exports generally amounted to £693,481, against £1,025,699 in January last year.

Forty tractors were exported, value £4,138, as against 793, value £72,637, in January, 1931. There was also a reduction in the export of tractor parts, but the value of motor car parts went up by £2,000 to £24,267.

LORD BANGOR'S ADVICE.

REMINISCENCES OF CADET DAYS.

ADDRESS TO DUBLIN BOYS' BRIGADE.

THE importance of taking a pride in one's appearance was stressed by Viscount Bangor at the Theatre Royal, Dublin, on Saturday afternoon, when he presided at the annual demonstration of the Dublin Battalion of the Boys' Brigade.

Lord Bangor is hon. president of the Dublin Battalion.

"When I was a cadet at Woolwich," he said, "we had to parade for every meal, and were very closely inspected. We had a strong incentive to be clean, because if there was a speck on our uniform we had to go to half an hour's extra drill at 6.45 the next morning, which was very unpleasant on a cold winter's day.

"Sometimes, when the inspecting corporal passed us in front, we thought it was all right, but when he came round the back we felt an accusing finger between the shoulder blades, and the odious words, 'Turn out for drill.' But I must say it was very good for us."

"FORCIBLE METHODS."

Recalling his early Dublin associations, Lord Bangor remarked that his first school was at Dun Laoghaire, and a very good school it was, though the methods were a bit forcible sometimes.

"One master used to say, 'Will you write the letter out five times, or shall I give you a punch?' and we generally went for the punch. It was painful, but we considered it better value, and it was soon over, and then we were happy." (Laughter.)

Referring to the annual report, he expressed interest in the fact that there was a company connected with the Mariners' Church, Dun Laoghaire, as he attended that

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church as a boy, and was baptised there. He congratulated the battalion on its membership with a good strength of life boys. He was interested to learn that Old Boys of the Dublin Battalion had been responsible for starting companies in various parts of the world, and he hoped that other centres were following their example.

MANLY TRAINING.

Speaking of the objects of the movement, he said: "It is a grand thing to train our boys from their earliest youth, and to train them in an attractive manner to be thruthful and straightforward, and to teach them discipline and self-restraint, and all that tends to manliness."

After recalling that he had been associated with the Belfast Boys' Brigade for, more or less, eighteen years, Lord Bangor said that what he had noticed when inspecting that Brigade at Belfast and also watching its demonstrations in camp, was the evident keenness of the boys and their desire to do their best; their steadiness on parade, and their smart and clean turn-out.

Before the demonstration, the boys marched to the theatre, through Dublin, in companies, led by their bands. The demonstration included displays of signalling, squad drill, gymnastics, competitive games, Scottish dances, and a film, as well as band selections.

THE ATTENDANCE.

Among those present on the platform during the Chairman's speech were:—The Lord Mayor of Dublin, the Right Rev. the Bishop of Meath and Mrs. Orr, the Rev. and Hon. B. J. Plunket (Hon. Battalion Vice-President), Mr. J. W. Morgan (Hon. Battalion President); the Rev. Precentor Lewis H. Crosby, Mr. F. A. Lowe, Admiral A. Craig-Waller, Mr. A. F. Blood, Alderman Hubbard Clark, Dr. Louis Purser, Mr. A. H. Gibson, Mr. W. J. Bowesman, and the Rev. Canon W. M. Gibbon (Hon. Battalion Vice-Presidents); Mr. R. M. Wolfe (Hon. Battalion Secretary), Mr. C. Purdie (Hon. Battalion Treasurer), Mr. G. White (officer in charge of demonstration), the Rev. H. G. Forde (Battalion Vice-President), Mrs. A. Craig Waller, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Barber, the Rev. E. C. and Mrs. Hodges, the Rev. Canon Crozier, the Rev. W. B. Allman, Miss Allman, the Rev. Canon and Mrs. Strong, Mrs. A. H. Gibson, Mrs. Bowesman, the Rev. Canon and Mrs. Young, Mr. McIvor, Miss McIvor, Miss Ferrar, the Rev. E. H. F. Campbell, Mrs. Wilkinson, the Rev. J. and Mrs. Tobias, Mr. A. E. Carroll, Dr. and Mrs. Ashe, Mrs. Hubbard Clark, Sir William Smyly, and Mrs. Forde.

MANCHURIA'S FOREIGN POLICY.

SEVENTEEN COUNTRIES APPROACHED.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

CHANGCHUN, Sunday.

The Foreign Minister of the new State of Manchuria has cabled to the Governments of seventeen countries announcing the lines which the foreign policy of the new State will take.

JAPANESE TROOPS TO BE WITHDRAWN.

SHANGHAI, Saturday.

The 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment has arrived here from India to replace the 2nd Battalion Royal Scots, who are returning to England on March 18th.

The Japanese War Office has decided to withdraw General Uyeda's 9th Division and General Shimomoto's mixed brigade.

ROME PREPARES FOR HOLY WEEK.

The usual pilgrimages to various sacred shrines all over Italy are being organised for Holy Week and the days immediately after Easter (says Reuter's Rome Correspondent).

One of the chief centres of interest this year will be Padua, where the Papal Legate is to make ceremonial entry to venerate the tomb of St. Anthony on the occasion of the seventh centenary of his death. This should have occurred a year ago, but was banned by order of the Pope on account of the differences then rife between the Papacy and the Italian Government regarding the activities of the Catholic Action Party.

Other places of pilgrimage are, naturally, Rome and Loreto and Pompeii.

MR. BEVIN ON TARIFFS.

Mr. Ernest Bevin, speaking at Heanor, Derbyshire, on Saturday night, said that he was not sorry the country was trying tariffs. This generation had seen the unemployed grow under free trade, and it would find that tariffs could not cure unemployment. The country would then be driven to Socialism at the next election. In the manipulation of tariffs at the moment not one was being imposed to help the workers, but all were budgetary tariffs in order to assist in gambling with the pound. He thought they would get as much out of the Ottawa Conference as they did out of Jim Thomas's contract for coal.

M.P.'S DASH TO GRETNA GREEN.

EFFORT TO STOP SON'S MARRIAGE.

YOUNG COUPLE'S VAIN JOURNEY TO SMITHY.

MR. CECIL HANBURY. Conservative M.P. for North Dorset, and Mrs. Hanbury, made a dramatic dash by aeroplane to Scotland on Saturday in an effort to prevent a Gretna Green marriage between their young son and a Dorset girl.

The young couple, Mr. T. Hanbury and Miss Joan Eve, arrived at the famous smithy hours ahead of their pursuers, but could not be married because they had not the necessary residential qualifications.

They then left for Glasgow, and were followed during the night by Mr. and Mrs. Hanbury by motor car and express train.

JOURNEY BY AIR.

When news reached the parents that the young couple were already in Scotland, Mr. Hanbury was in the country. He was hurriedly recalled and a fast air-taxi was waiting at Croydon Aerodrome when he arrived there at three o'clock on Saturday with Mrs. Hanbury.

At more than a hundred miles an hour the 'plane sped northward, but, overtaken by darkness, the pilot was unable to go further than Blackpool Aerodrome. Information had by this time been received that, their Gretna plans having been frustrated, the couple had gone to Glasgow, and the pursuit headed in that direction.

A fast car was requisitioned, and the parents reached Carlisle after midnight. Here they snatched a couple of hours sleep, and at 3.30 were speeding north again in the night express.

"BITTERLY DISAPPOINTED."

Mr. Rennison, the proprietor of the smithy, stated: "The young couple arrived on the seven o'clock train on Saturday morning, and after having breakfast in the village called at the smithy about nine o'clock. They met with bitter disappointment.

"I asked them how long they had lived in Scotland, and when they said they had come direct from England I told them that I could not marry them. They said they were determined to marry, and asked me what they should do.

"I explained that they must have lived in Scotland for twenty-one days before I could marry them, and pointed out that there was plenty of accommodation in the village.

POLICE INQUIRIES.

"They said they could not stop in Gretna, as they were being chased; they would go to Glasgow, and after twenty-one days they would be married there.

"Later the police called and said that Mr. Hanbury was only 17½ years old, and that the marriage must not take place. He signed the visitors' book 'T. Hanbury,' and Miss Eve, who appeared just a little older than Mr. Hanbury, gave her address as 'Dorset.'

"Thinking that Mr. Hanbury, senior, would call here, I sat up all night waiting for him."

PILOT'S STATEMENT.

The pilot of the aeroplane stated: "I did not know that Mr. Hanbury was anxious to get to Gretna Green. We left Croydon at 2.45 p.m., with instructions to reach Carlisle as quickly as possible, and reached Blackpool Aerodrome at 6 p.m., having made a good one hundred miles an hour.

"As soon as we landed Mr. Hanbury left by car for Carlisle. He telephoned yesterday, saying he would not need the 'plane again."

Miss Eve's mother, who lives at Marnhull, Dorset, in Mr. Hanbury's constituency, said: "I do not know any of the circumstances and have nothing to say."

A neighbour of Miss Eve's stated yesterday that the news had come as a great surprise to him.

"Miss Joan Eve," he said, "is a pretty girl, with dark hair and eyes. Her age is about twenty. Mr. T. Hanbury used to visit her at Marnhull. Mrs. Eve is the widow of an Army officer, and has lived at Marnhull for some years."

PURSUERS AND PURSUED MEET.

There was a dramatic meeting yesterday between the young couple and the pursuing parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanbury on reaching Glasgow at about seven o'clock went to a hotel, when they met their son and Miss Eve. The four had breakfast together, and later left for the station, where they all boarded the ten o'clock express for Euston.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanbury, their son and Miss Eve arrived at Euston last night on the Glasgow express.

Immediately that Mr. Hanbury, who was escorting Miss Eve, stepped from the compartment dozens of photographers rushed forward. Miss Eve bent her head and raised her coat collar in an endeavour to avoid being photographed. Flash-lights which exploded all round her appeared to dazzle Miss Eve, and she collided with a trunk standing on the side of the platform.

Mr. Cecil Hanbury summoned the nearest taxi, and followed Miss Eve inside driving off. He escorted her to her mother, who arrived in London from her country home yesterday.

"YOUTHFUL FOLLY."

Meanwhile, Mrs. Hanbury and her son had also alighted from the train, and with one trunk entered another taxi and drove to her home in Smith Square, Westminster. When she arrived at Smith Square, Mrs. Hanbury looked tired from her long journey to Scotland and back. A few moments after her taxi had drawn up Mr. Cecil Hanbury also arrived.

Mrs. Hanbury explained that it was only with reluctance that she could discuss the matter, but added that it was probably better to have the facts explained.

"It was a piece of youthful folly," she said; "they are very young. My son is 17½ and Miss Eve is not quite 17. That explains their actions. They were much too hasty. We have no real objection to their getting engaged, except their years. The two families are neighbours in the country, and Miss Eve and my son have known each other since they were children.

"So little objection is there that there will be an announcement of an engagement shortly, as soon as this excitement has had a chance to subside."

IRISH WILLS.

Mr. Joseph Kinkead, of Ardmore, Lisburn, Co. Antrim, wire mattress manufacturer, who died on July 24th last, left personal estate in England and Northern Ireland valued at £9,889 15s. 3d. Probate of his will, dated September 27th, 1929, has been granted to his son, Joseph Henry Kinkead, of Rossnaree, Clonevin Park, Lisburn, and his brother, James Kinkead, of Howden, Sutton, County Dublin, wire mattress manufacturers.

Mr. Robert O'Neill, of 1 Lawrence street, Belfast, horse dealer, who died on September 21st, 1930, left personal estate in England and Northern Ireland valued at £6,333 13s. 4d. Probate of his will, dated November 10th, 1929, has been granted to his widow, Mrs. Mary O'Neill, of the same address, and Joseph McGowan, of Durham street, Belfast, flesher.

Mr. Michael McAnallen, J.P., of Moy, Co. Tyrone, hotel proprietor, who died on 8th May last, left personal estate in England and Northern Ireland valued at £1,161 7s. 2d. Probate of his will and codicil has been granted to his nephew, Peter Morrison, spirit merchant, of Armagh, and Bernard B. Hoy, solicitor, of Dungannon, Co. Tyrone.

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CIVIL SERVICE HOUSING.

FIRST BRICK LAID ON NEW ESTATE.

GROWTH FROM ORIGINAL CAPITAL OF £400.

CIVIL servants, who during the past five years have successfully floated schemes for the erection of over one hundred houses, watched the Lord Mayor of Dublin, Alderman A. Byrne, T.D., on Saturday laying the first brick on a site which is to accommodate another fifty-six dwellings.

The scheme is the sixth to be launched by the Civil Service Housing Association, Ltd., since it was registered in 1927, with a subscribed share capital of only £400. The association is administered entirely by voluntary officers—members of the Civil Service—whose total expenses are less than the cost of employing an ordinary clerk would be, and it was inspired originally as a co-operative effort to secure houses at a reasonable rental for civil servants who had been affected by "cuts" in their cost-of-living bonus, though it has also provided houses for non-members of the service.

The cost of the latest scheme, which is situated at Clonturk, Upper Drumcondra, is estimated at £36,000.

When the Lord Mayor arrived he was received by Mr. J. J. Connolly, chairman of the Association; Mr. T. O'Shea, secretary, and Mr. J. Henderson, treasurer. The City Manager, Mr. Gerald Sherlock, was unable to be present, but he was represented by Mr. J. P. Keane.

In welcoming the Lord Mayor, Mr. Connolly explained that as a beginning contracts had been placed for twelve terrace houses, to be sold at £635 each, and two semi-detached houses at £650 each. The needs of civil servants would first be satisfied, and then the scheme would be opened to the public. For seven years tenants would have two-thirds freedom from rates.

BOUGHT FROM THE PLANS.

"The faith that house purchasers have in the association is shown," he remarked, "by the fact that before a brick had been laid over fifty per cent. of the houses had been bought by people who had nothing to go on but the plans."

Over £80,000 had been spent by the Association in housing since its inception, he added, and of that half was spent on wages, while, as far as possible, they had used Irish materials.

"Everybody who provides a roof in this country is doing a patriotic work," said the Lord Mayor before performing the ceremony, "and I congratulate these young men on what they have done. The Corporation, I am pleased to say, has done, and will continue to do, everything possible to assist them."

All the developments, including roads, in connection with the present scheme, he recalled, had been done by the Corporation. They would be gratified to know that the Corporation had applied to the Government for means to put into effect the Small Dwellings Act, which had apparently been forgotten for some time.

At a subsequent luncheon in the Gresham Hotel, Mr. Connolly referred to "the gratifying announcement" by Mr. de Valera, that he proposes to set up a system of arbitration in regard to Civil Service salaries. "We must pay him a tribute for that," he said. "It is only honourable that a system of conciliation should be available. During the last ten years the Whitley system was taken from us, and I do not think that was good policy. His announcement on the subject has imbued the service with fresh enthusiasm."

Mr. Connolly added that the service was always prepared to give good service, no matter what Government was in power.

The architects for the Clonturk scheme are Messrs. Gannon and Hackett.

LADY CHAYTOR AGAIN HELD UP.

BELGRADE, Saturday.

A second crash has held up the flight to Australia of Lady Chaytor, wife of Sir Edmund Chaytor, who left Lympne on March 5th. The aeroplane, piloted by Mr. R. T. Richards, in landing at the aerodrome at Sofia (Bulgaria) this morning plunged into a snowdrift, where it struck some hidden object. The propeller and nose of the machine were smashed, but the occupants of the 'plane were unhurt.

Mr. Richards immediately returned by train to Belgrade, a distance of some 200 miles, and has bought a new propeller and other parts. As soon as they are fitted the flight will be continued to Istanbul.

Lady Chaytor's first crash was at the Bojouriscate Aerodrome, near Sofia, on Wednesday last.

CAPTAIN COUNT ROBERT CHARLES BENTINCK.

Captain Count Robert Charles Bentinck, husband of Lady Norah Bentinck, died suddenly on Saturday whilst on a visit to Captain the Hon. Lancelot Lowther, brother and heir presumptive of the Earl of Lonsdale, at Ashwell Hill, Oakham, Rutland.

Captain Bentinck, who was 56, lived at Orange House, Heacham, Norfolk. He arrived at Ashwell Hill on Saturday afternoon, and appeared to be in his usual health. Half an hour later he complained of pains in the chest and retired to his room, where Captain Lowther found him lying dead on the floor.

MOTOR CYCLING.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY CLUB DINNER.

Under the chairmanship of Dr. Kenneth Claude Bailey, F.T.C.D., who presided in the unavoidable absence of the president of the club, Dr. Joly, the annual dinner and presentation of prizes of the Dublin University Motor Cycle and Light Car Club was held in the diningroom of the college on Saturday. During the evening Dr. Bailey distributed the prizes won in the confined and open competitions of the past season. The chief prize winners of the confined events were Messrs. Mallagh, Thompson and Griffiths, while in the club's chief open events the "Bush" Cup, the trophy presented by Mr. J. F. Studdert, was won by Mr. J. G. Burney.

SWIMMING.

TARA STREET BATHS.

During the month of March the swimming pond at Tara Street Baths will be open on Tuesdays and Wednesdays each week from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. On Tuesday afternoons, from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m., the pond will be reserved for the exclusive use of ladies.

The water will be maintained at a temperature of 76 degrees.

DUBLIN S.C.

A special general meeting will be held this evening in the Moira Hotel, Trinity street (not Jury's, as notified), at 8 o'clock.

BOXING.

CARNERA-COOK FIGHT POSTPONED.

The match between Primo Carnera and George Cook has been postponed until March 23rd.

ATHLETICS.

CAMBRIDGE BEAT OXFORD.

At the White City Stadium, London, on Saturday, Cambridge beat Oxford by six events to five. J. St. L. Thornton, set up a record for the Inter-University Senior, when he won the 120 Yards Hurdles in 14 9-10 secs., the previous best being 15 2-5 secs., by G. C. Weightman-Smith, of Cambridge, in 1928. Thornton's time is only one-fifth of a second outside the British record.

Cambridge won the 100 Yards (J. M. Wade, 10 1-10 secs.), 120 Yards Hurdles (J. St. L. Thornton, 14 9-10 secs.), Putting the Weight (E. G. Parry, 41ft. 10½ins.), 220 Yards Hurdles (J. St. L. Thornton, 26 3-5 secs.), Pole Jump (W. D. Behkner, 11ft. 5¼ins.), Quarter-Mile (V. Munroe, 51 1-5 secs.).

Oxford won the Half-Mile (J. F. Cornes, 1 min. 56 secs.), Three Miles (J. V. Fellows, 14 mins. 50 4-5 secs.), High Jump (L. F. York, 5ft. 10ins.), Long Jump (J. S. Duncan, 22ft 2¼ins.), One Mile (J. F. Cornes, 4 mins. 22 2-5 secs.).

Road Grants.—The Free State Local Government Department has notified the North Tipperary County Council that a sum of £10,822 has been granted as follows for road improvement:—Templemore-Roscrea, £4,922; Nenagh-Thurles, £2,000; resurfacing in concreting of Parnell street, Thurles, £400; resurfacing Barrack street, Nenagh, £1,500.

Within eleven days three members of one family—father, mother and daughter—have died as a result of septic pneumonia. The father, Mr. James Henry Collis, of North Wingfield, Clay Cross, Derbyshire, died on Saturday. His wife pre-deceased him eleven days ago, and their twenty-four years old daughter two days later.

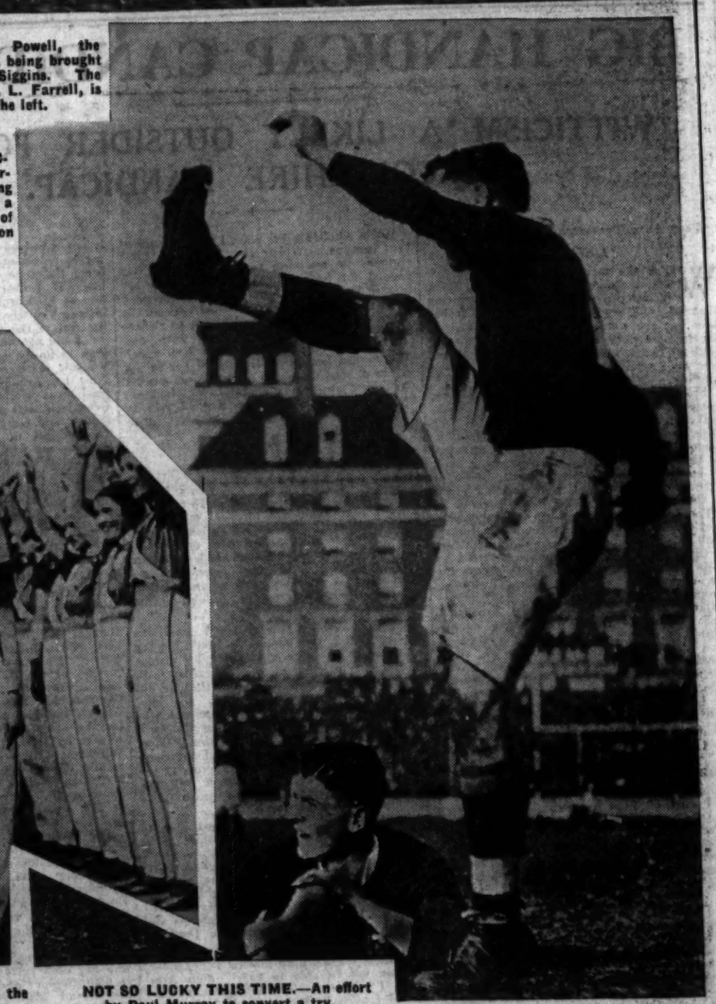
IRISH RUGBY TRIUMPH : TO-DAY'S SWEEPSTAKE DRAW

A BAND OF HOPE.—Irish supporters, wearing green berets and favours and smiles of confidence, parade the streets of Cardiff before the international with Wales.

ON PARADE.—Attendants in picturesque costumes engaged in the transfer of the sweepstake counterfoils from the "miniature railway" at the Plaza for to-day's draw.

HELD.—W. C. Powell, the Welsh half-back, being brought down by J. A. Siggins. The Irish forward, J. L. Farrell, is seen on the left.

THE "INSPECTION." — Supervising the loading of boxes for a third mixing of the seven million counterfoils.



HERE THEY COME.—Cheering the arrival of the counterfoils at the Plaza from the headquarters of the Trust in Earlsfort terrace, Dublin.

NOT SO LUCKY THIS TIME.—An effort by Paul Murray to convert a try.

AN IRISH DEFEAT.—The Irish defence rushing back to clear during the hockey international with England at Londonbridge road, Dublin, last Saturday. England won by 3 goals to 0.

AN IRISH RAID.—England's goalkeeper (J. F. Wolfenden) on the alert while an Irish attacking movement bears towards goal during the hockey international. Ireland failed to penetrate a good English defence.

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INTERESTING FACTS FOR IRISH INVESTORS.

STOCKS GIVING A RETURN OF UNDER 5 PER CENT. AT CURRENT PRICE.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Par Value.	Name of Stock.	Price.	Yield p.a.
100	5 p.c. 1st National Loan	101½	£4 18 6
100	5 p.c. 2nd National Loan	102¾	£4 17 3
100	4½ p.c. 3rd National Loan	95½	£4 14 5
100	4½ p.c. Land Bonds	96¼	£4 13 3
100	Guaranteed 2½ p.c. (Irish Land Act, 1903)	50¼	£4 11 10
100	Guaranteed 3 p.c. (Irish Land Act, 1903 and 1909)	68½	£4 14 5

CORPORATION STOCKS, ETC.

100	Dublin Corporation 3½ p.c. (Red. Stk.)	84	£3 17 4
100	Dublin Corporation 5 p.c. (Red. Stk.)	100½	£4 19 9
100	Dublin Corporation 5 p.c. (Inscribed Stk.)	102	£4 18 0
100	Pembroke U.D. 5 p.c.	98½	£5 1 6
100	Cork Corporation (Old Stock) 3½ p.c.	78	£4 9 9
100	Kingstown U.D. 3½ p.c.	74	£5 1 4

OTHER SECURITIES.

£2 paid	Munster and Leinster Bank	5¼	£4 17 4
100	Dublin Tram Co. 3½ p.c. Deb. "B"	72	£4 17 2

STOCKS YIELDING 5 PER CENT.-6 PER CENT.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES AND CORPORATION STOCKS.

100	5 p.c. Compensation Stock	100	£5 0 0
100	5 p.c. Agricultural Credit Corporation	100	£5 0 0
100	Dublin Port and Docks 5 p.c. Bridge Stk.	97½ x.d.	£4 17 11
100	Dublin Port and Docks 5 p.c. (Red.) Stk.	100	£5 0 0
100	Dublin Port and Docks 3½ p.c. Stk.	62½	£5 3 8

BANKS.

100	Bank of Ireland	325	£5 7 8

TRANSPORT.

100	Dublin Tram 3½ p.c. Mort. Deb. "A"	62	£5 12 10

COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, ETC.

10	Guinness (Arthur), Son and Co., Ltd., 6 p.c. C.P.	11½ x.d.	£5 2 8
100	Alliance and Dublin Gas 4 p.c. Deb.	74½	£5 7 4
10	Arnott and Co. 4 p.c. Deb.	6¾	£5 16 4
100	Dublin (South) City Market 4 p.c. Deb.	75	£5 6 8
5	Goulding (W. and H. M.) 4½ p.c. Deb.	79/2	£5 13 6
5	Gresham Hotel, Ltd.	7/-	£5 18 0
1	Helys, Ltd., 6 p.c. C.P.	20/-	£5 0 0

STOCKS YIELDING 6 PER CENT.-7½ PER CENT.

CORPORATION STOCKS.

100	Sligo Harbour 4 p.c. Mort. Bonds	57½	£6 19 1

BANKS.

£5 paid	Royal Bank of Ireland (£50 Stk.)	13¾	£6 15 9
£5 paid	Hibernian Bank (£20 Shares)	10½	£6 5 11
£1 paid	National Bank (£5 Shares)	43/-	£6 10 3
£12½ paid	Provincial Bank (£100 Shares)	26	£6 19 5
£10 paid	Provincial Bank (£20 Shares)	20¾	£6 19 9
£2 paid	Northern Bank "B" (£10 Shares)	47/-	£6 7 8

TRANSPORT.

100	Grand Canal 3 p.c. Deb. Stk.	47½	£5 6 3

COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, ETC.

10	Jameson (John) and Son 4 p.c. Deb. Stk.	6¼	£6 8 0
10	Alliance and Dublin Gas	10½	£7 1 0
10 Stk.	Arnott and Co. 6 p.c. C.P.	73/6	£6 10 6
4	Bolands 5 p.c. Deb.	7¾	£6 7 0
10	Cash and Co. 4½ p.c. Debs.	6¼	£6 18 6
10	Brooks Thomas 5 p.c. C.P.	15/9	£6 7 0
1	Daly (John) and Co.	56/-	£7 2 0
2	Denny (Henry) and Sons 6 p.c. C.P.	8¼	£7 8 5
10	Dockrell (Thos.), Sons and Co. 4 p.c. Debs.	5½	£6 16 4
10	Dublin and Wicklow Manure Ord.	8/3	£7 3 0
1	Dublin (South) City Market	5/-	£7 10 7
10	Ferrier, Pollock and Co. 4½ p.c. Debs.	63/-	£7 2 0
100	Goulding (W. and H. M.) 5½ p.c. C.P.	81/6	£6 14 11
5	Gresham Hotel, Ltd.	19/6	£7 13 10
1	Independent Newspapers 7½ p.c. C.P.	7¾	£6 2 6
100	Mooney (J. G.) 4½ p.c. Mort. Deb.	80/-	£7 10 0
5	Mooney (J. G.) 6 p.c. C.P.	22/6	£7 2 2
1	Switzer Ord.	20/9	£5 15 7
1	Switzer 6 p.c. C.P.	6¾	£6 1 3
10	Switzer 4 p.c. Mort. Deb.	64½	£6 19 3
100	Thom (Alex.) 4½ p.c. Deb. Stock	60/-	£8 6 8
5	Walpole Bros. 5 p.c. C.P.	16/6	£6 1 2
1	White, Tomkins and Courage 5 p.c. C.P.	83/1 x.d.	£7 4 5
5	Johnston, Mooney and O'Brien 6 p.c. C.P.	6¾	£6 5 6
10	Johnston, Mooney and O'Brien 4 p.c. Deb.	23/-	£6 10 5
1	Irish-American Oil Co. 7½ p.c. C.P.	37/6	£6 10 8
1	Merchants' Warehousing Co.		

STOCKS YIELDING OVER 7½ PER CENT.

TRANSPORT.

1	B. and I. Steam Packet Co. 6 p.c. Non-C.P.	14/-	£8 11 5
10	Clontarf and Hill of Howth	56/5 x.d.	£10 12 3
10	Dublin United Trams Ord.	75/6	£7 18 11
10	Dublin United Trams 6 p.c. Pref.	149/9	£8 0 3
10	Grand Canal Ord.	72/6 x.d.	£9 13 1
10	Grand Canal 3 p.c. Pref.	77/6 x.d.	£7 14 10
100	Great Southern Railway 4 p.c. Debs.	49¾	£8 4 1
100	Great Southern Railway 4 p.c. Guaranteed.	34½	£11 11 10
100	Great Southern Railway (City of Dublin Junct. Ry.) 4 p.c. Guar.	55	£7 5 5

COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, ETC.

10	Castlebellingham and Drogheda Brews. Ord.	100/-	£12 0 0
10	Castlebellingham and Drogheda Brews. 6 p.c. C.P.	5½	£10 10 11
100 Stk.	Dublin Distillers 4½ p.c. Deb. Stk.	44/-	£10 0 0
10	Dunville and Co.	7¾	£8 8 5
1	Guinness Ord. Stk.	83/-	£7 6 2
1	Power (John) and Son 8 p.c. C.P.	12/5	£12 17 8
1	Arnott and Co. Ord.	90/6	£7 14 6
4	Cannock and Co. Ord.	56/-	£7 17 9
4	Cash and Co. 5½ p.c. C.P.	14/9	£7 9 3
1	Pim 4 p.c. Deb. Stk. Red.	53½	£7 9 9
100 Stk.	Roche's Stores (Dublin)	12/6	£8 0 0
1	Todd, Burns 4½ p.c. Mort. Deb. Stk.	55/2	£8 9 3
5	Ferrier, Pollock 5½ p.c. C.P.	47/6½	£11 10 3
5	Bolands Ord.	52/-	£7 13 10
5	Bolands 6 p.c. C.P.	7¼	£8 0 0
10	Johnston, Mooney and O'Brien Ord.	71/4 x.d.	£9 16 3
5	Brooks, Thomas Ord.	26/-	£7 13 1
1	Burke (E. and J.) 6 p.c. Irred. Deb. Stk.	7¾	£8 2 8
10	Beamish and Crawford 4 p.c. Deb. Stk.	44	£9 2 0
100	Clarence Hotels 6 p.c. Pref.	16/5	£7 11 0
1	Cork Gas Co.	5¼	£7 12 3
1	Dockrell (Thomas) and Sons 6 p.c. C.P.	11/7½ x.d.	£10 6 5
1	Drogheda Chemical Manure Co. 5 p.c. C.P.	51/3	£9 15 1
5	Dublin and Wicklow Manure 6 p.c. C.P.	10/6 x.d.	£11 8 6
1	Findlater (Alex.) 5 p.c. C.P.	12/9	£7 16 10
1	Findlater (Alex.) 4 p.c. Debs.	57/6 x.d.	£6 19 1
5	Goulding (W. and H. M.) Ord.	68/-	£8 16 5
1	Hammond Lane Foundry Ord.	26/8	£7 10 0
5	Hayes, Conyngham and Robinson 5 p.c. Deb.	68/-	£7 7 0
5	Heiton (Thos.) 5 p.c. C.P.	62/6	£8 0 0
1	Helys, Ltd., Ord.	29/2	£8 11 5
5	Imperial Hotel (Cork), Ltd., Ord.	22/6	£13 6 9
5	Imperial Hotel (Cork) 5 p.c. C.P.	60/-	£10 0 0
5	*Irish Times* 5½ p.c. C.P.	48/6	£11 6 9
5	*Irish Times* 5½ p.c. C.P.	11/-	£11 16 4
1	McCarthy (J.) and Sons 6 p.c. C.P.	3¼	£9 4 9
5	Musgrave and Gatchell 5 p.c. C.P.	57/10½	£8 12 9
5	Matterson (J.) and Son 5½ p.c. C.P.	50/8	£10 17 1
5	Metropole Hotels Co., Ireland, Ltd., Ord.	13/-	£10 15 2
1	Millar and Beatty 5 p.c. C.P.	58/- x.d.	£8 12 4
5	Millar (A.) and Co. 5 p.c. C.P.	11/-	£9 1 9
1	Mooney (J. G.) and Co. Ord.	13	£9 12 3
5	Musgrave Bros. 7½ p.c. C.P.	16/6	£9 1 9
1	Parkes (John C.) and Sons, Ltd., 5½ p.c. C.P.	12/-	£9 3 4
1	Thom (Alex.) and Co. Ord.	25/6	£7 9 10
50/-	Thom (Alex) and Co. 5½ p.c. C.P.	62/-	£8 17 5
5	Thwaites (A. and R.) and Co. Ord.	41/6	£12 0 11
5	Thwaites (A. and R.) 5 p.c. C.P.	51/3	£9 15 1
5	Wallace Bros. 5 p.c. C.P.	55/-	£10 18 2
1	White, Tomkins and Courage Ord.	26/-	£7 13 10
1	Williams (H.) and Co. Ord.	81/8 x.d.	£9 16 11
2/-	Yam Seng Rubber Co. Ord.	1/-	£10 0 0

FREE STATE ARMY MISSIONS.

The annual missions for the members of the Defence Forces opened yesterday at the various military centres, and will be continued during Passion Week. The Mission opened with Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament, at which the Act of Consecration of Ireland to the Sacred Heart was recited. The ceremonies will conclude with General Holy Communion on Palm Sunday.

The following are the missioners:—Arbour Hill (Dublin), the Rev. Father Terence, C.P.; Portobello Barracks (Dublin), the Rev. Father Philip, O.F.M.; Curragh Camp, the Rev. Dr. Doyle, C.M., and the Rev. Father Lyng, C.M.; Kildare Barracks, the Rev. Father Walsh, C.M.; Baldonnel Camp, the Rev. Father Potter, C.SS.R.; Collins Barracks (Cork), the Rev. Father Columbus, O.F.M.; McKee Barracks (Dublin), the Rev. Father Austin, C.P.; Renmore Barracks (Galway), the Rev. Father Kerr, C.SS.R.

LIVERPOOL POST OFFICE ROBBERY.

A man will appear in the Liverpool Police Court to-day in connection with the burglary at St. Anne Street Post Office, Liverpool, where over £1,000 was taken from a safe. Two other persons are already in custody, and the third was detained by the Glasgow Police on information received from Liverpool.

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Opening of the Flat Racing Season at Lincoln To-day.

AT LINCOLN TO-DAY.

WATCHMATE FANCIED FOR THE WELBECK HANDICAP.

J. JARVIS, who has Light o' Love entered in the Lincolnshire Handicap, has got his string early to hand this year. He has Water Way and Bull Point engaged for the Welbeck Handicap, and whichever is the better will be difficult to beat. Watchmate, who runs for Lord Glanely, beat Air Travel, Grand Breeze, Sun Dancer and Nymph of Torridge in a trial over four and a half furlongs at Newmarket last week, and is well fancied at Newmarket. Stepping Along might be better in a few weeks' time, but I hear that Village Green will lack nothing on the score of condition. He was improving a lot last back-end, but as he may not run I shall name

WATCHMATE

as the probable winner.

Elton, who won the Lincolnshire Handicap a few years ago, has all the weight he deserves in the Trial Selling Plate, and Galavale, who will be better remembered as the Maida Vale gelding, looks a tempting proposition with only 7st. 11lb. Baker's Dozen was on the upgrade last back-end, and En Garde is reported to be fit. V. Smyth won the corresponding race last year, and he may run Obliterette, who is not without a chance. The vote, however, goes to

SAUGOR.

Thunder Squall is a winner on the Lincoln track, and even with 9st. 9lb. to carry he is not without a chance in the Brocklesby Trial Plate. Arran Beg won this event last year, and has been going well in home gallops. Elixir is fit, and King Baldwin is likely to play a prominent part. Meritondy is well fancied, but I shall take

KING BALDWIN

as the best.

The Tathwell Auction Plate, the first two-year-old event of the season, will attract a fair number of runners, and Newmarket advice is in favour of Roselet colt, who will win a race before the season is far advanced. Rosula gelding is quietly fancied. Diet is a nippy type, who should do well in the spring, and Dodder filly should not be overlooked. Of the others, the best reports concern Microphone colt, Obdurate colt, Light and Airy, Lakin and Haputale colt, but

ROSELET COLT

would be my selection.

Captain S. Wilson hopes to take the Hainton Plate with Counter, and I expect the horse at least to gain a place. Sterling Boy will be fit from his hurdle racing, a remark which applies to The Welsher and Manvero. Blue Don can be fancied, but I shall stand by

THE WELSHER,

who has improved recently.

LURE,

who is engaged in the Canwick Maiden Plate, is very fit, and I expect him to beat Hareby and win.

NEWMARKET'S BEST.

HORSES FANCIED FOR THE FIRST DAY AT LINCOLN.

NEWMARKET, Saturday.

There was a sharp frost during the night, and it was not until midday that the sun removed the bone from the ground. Some good gallops took place, but there was not one trial.

Day has got both his Lincolnshire charge, Lady Marjorie, and the Liverpool Cup horse, Blandearna, so well forward in condition that he only gave them easy five furlong work.

J. Jarvis made his way to the Racecourse side, and gave Iron Ration, Sudan, Damerham, Vincent Square, Gareloch and Plectrum, who have engagements next week, good five furlong spins. He gave Jelliss the mount on Ellenborough, and sent him and his other Lincolnshire Handicap horse, Light o' Love, over one mile. Both moved well.

Captain Hogg's Grandmaster (F. Rickaby), with Coldstream (Archibald), travelled one mile at a good pace, while Paddington carried F. Rickaby in good style with Cardiff (J. Nicholl) and British Sailor (Archibald) over seven furlongs at a good pace. I am particularly interested in Paddington, and I expect him to turn out a more than useful three-year-old. Wellington also gave satisfaction in a similar gallop with Watchmate, while Ada Dear showed good initial speed in a five furlong spin with Shellback.

It looks as though B. Jarvis intends to saddle Sphinx II. for one of his races next week. He sent him one mile and a quarter at a striding pace. The Liverpool Spring Cup horse, Estate Duty, moved well in a good mile with Pharian.

Watson gave Homer a good six furlong burst, and, although going by himself, he moved very freely. I shall be prepared to see him run prominently in the Brocklesby Trial Plate at Lincoln on Monday. The classic colt, Pollux, went in a good mile and a quarter spin with Sea Trout.

No horse could have moved better than the Liverpool Cup horse, Mangosteen, did in a good pace gallop over one mile and a half.

Almagest (K. Robertson) and Jenkins' Ear (Perryman), who are fancied for their Lincoln engagements, and Oregon Grape (F. Lane), who runs for the Union Jack Stakes at Liverpool, were sent a similar distance. All three went well.

C. Waugh is not allowing Chelmarsh to be idle, and he sent him, with Ian Martin in the saddle, a good stripped mile and a half, assisted by Decadence II., with Donoghue riding.

Last year we only won one event on the opening day of flat racing, when B. Jarvis saddle a winner in Chepstow. We are more hopeful of picking up a few prizes on Monday.

Three well backed horses in the Trial Selling Plate will be Carona, Milesian and Multorb, and I fancy these more than Blue Band and Green Willow. From what I have seen of

MULTORB

he should win, and Milesian, who shaped well in a recent gallop with Knight of the Vale and Knight Error, may be the danger.

Golden Legend, who was third in the Brocklesby Trial Plate last year, has 4lb. more to carry now. I like him better than Damerham, Wood borough and Plectrum, but

HOMER,

who has given satisfaction in his gallops, should win.

Sea Egg filly, Microphone, Dodder filly, and

JOE MOORE,

in the Tathwell Auction Plate, have done well in trial spins. I prefer the last-named, who puts in good work at the finish of his gallops.

I think Straight Sequence and Bull Point have too much weight in the Welbeck Handicap, and I prefer Jenkins' Ear to Sunny Shower, Water Way and Watchmate. The improved Bogey should run well, and will be the danger to

JENKIN'S EAR (next best).

Sphinx II., Blue Don, White May and Break of Day will not be found lacking in condition for the Hainton Plate. Conditions underfoot will suit

BREAK OF DAY,

and he should win.

Our runners for the Canwick Maiden Plate are moderate, but

LURE*

has improved, and he has my vote.

SANDOWN RESULTS.

1.45—UNITED SERVICES' 'CHASE of 280 sovs. About 3 m. 125 yds.
Sir P. Grant Lawson's b. g. GOLDEN HOLIDAY, by Denis d'Or—Short Leave, a, 12-7 ....Owner 1
Capt. Brownhill's GAY DEVIL, 5, 11-7...Owner 2
Mr. G. A. Cunard's GOLDEN LIGHT, a, 11-13 ....Owner 3
Also ran—Letham (Mr. W. Radford), King's Company (Mr. G. Vallance), Fair Duchess (Mr. Walwyn), Tara Cottage (Mr. Matheson). Off 1.48. (Winner trained by Gosden.)
Betting—11 to 8 agst. Gay Devil, 13 to 8 GOLDEN HOLIDAY, 6 to 1 Tara Cottage, 10 to 1 each Golden Light and Letham, 100 to 6 any other.
Tote (2/- stake)—Win. 4/6; places, 2/9, 2/6.
Won by fifteen lengths; five lengths. Letham was the only other to finish.

2.15—COTTAGE OPEN SELLING HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 2 m.
Sir M. McAlpine's br. h. SEA ROVER, by Pomme de Terre—Gay Laura, 5, 11-3...D. Butchers 1
Mr. H. Collins's SPECTROSCOPE, a, 11-7...Stott 2
Mr. W. Harris's GOLDEN BAY, a, 11-7...Vinall 3
Also ran—Invermark (W. Speck), Blitzen (J. Ermer). Off 2.17. (Winner trained by J. M. Bell.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. SEA ROVER, 9 to 4 Spectroscope, 9 to 2 Invermark, 6 to 1 Blitzen, 20 to 1 Golden Bay.
Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 5/3; places, 4/-, 3/3.
Won by two lengths; four lengths. Invermark was fourth and Blitzen last.
The winner was sold to Mrs. Swain for 400 gns.

2.45—GRAND MILITARY HUNTERS STEEPLECHASE of 500 sovs. About 3 m. 125 yds.
Mr. J. P. A. Graham's b. m. LARE, by Belted Earl—Kissing Time, 11-2 ....Owner 1
Mr. P. Curtis's WALES II., 11-7..........Owner 2
Major J. F. R. Combe's THE WHITE RAMBLER, 10-9 ....Mr. Payne Gallwey 3
Also ran—Nigger Minstrel III. (Major H. Lumsden), Blue Peter III. (Sub-Lieut. Courage), Santabel (Mr. R. M. Fanshawe), Pamperer (Mr. R. Baker), Clephane (Mr. Williams Wynn), Hikari (Major McCreery), Fair Sheila (Mr. R. Petre), Kalerue II. (Capt. McCarthy) Monk's Dream (Mr. Wainman), Baysman, (Mr. P. Sykes). Off 2.47. (Winner trained by Ancil.)
Betting—9 to 2 agst. LARE, 6 to 1 each Baysman and Blue Peter III., 8 to 1 each Pamperer, Clephane, The White Rambler and Hikari; 10 to 1 Santabel, 100 to 7 any other.
Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 7/3; places, 3/9, 21/-, 8/6.
Won by six lengths; two lengths. Santabel was fourth and Clephane last.

3.25—IMPERIAL CUP. An open handicap hurdle race of 1,000 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. J. Westgate's br. h. LAST OF THE DANDIES, by D'Orsay—Bill and Coo, 5, 11-4 ....W. Hollick 1
Mr. M. Stephens' TEES HEAD, 5, 10-12 ....D. McCann 2
Mr. B. Warner's RESIDUE, a, 11-9 G. Pellerin 3
Also ran—Song of Essex (W. Parvin), Knight of Knockeevan (W. Stott), Arctic Star (Mr. Thackray), Jugo (T. Leader), Broken Ice (A. Smyth), West Wicklow (F. Sclater), Fouquet (S. Ingham), Eugene (E. Foster), Calvados (H. Nicholson), Porthaon (D. Butchers), Forage Cap (J. Moylan), Friar Bacon (P. Donoghue), Wenceslas (J. Hamey), Royal Stranger (W. Speck), Ballyscanlon (D. Morgan), Dick Bush (T. Isaac), Osculator (T. Morgan), Firework (G. Winder). Off 3.27. (Winner trained by W. Payne.)
Betting—5 to 1 agst. Residue, 11 to 2 West Wicklow, 7 to 1 Porthaon, 8 to 1 Broken Ice, 9 to 1 Knight of Knockeeven, 100 to 9 LAST OF THE DANDIES, 100 to 8 each Arctic Star and Forage Cap, 100 to 7 each Song of Essex, Tees Head, and Royal Stranger; 20 to 1 any other.
Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 56/6; places, 16/9, 10/-, 8/9.
Won by two lengths; three lengths. Porthaon was fourth and Calvados last.

3.55—GRAND MILITARY HANDICAP 'CHASE of 280 sovs. About 2½ m. 75 yds.
Sub-Lieut. R. H. Courage's b. g. FORTNUM, by Fort—Jealousy, a, 10-7 ....Owner 1
Mr. W. B. Radford's FERRANS, a, 11-12 Owner 2
Mr. H. G. Cawdell's FREE FORESTER, 6, 10-9 ....Owner 3
Also ran—The Black Fellow (Wing-Commdr. Read), Golden Monarch (Mr. Douglas Kennedy), Strumlever (Mr. Payne Gallwey). Off at 4.0. (Winner trained by Courage.)
Betting—15 to 8 agst. The Black Fellow, 2 to 1 Ferrans, 4 to 1 FORTNUM, 7 to 1 Free Forester, 100 to 7 any other.
Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 9/6; places, 5/-, 4/3.
Won by a short head; six lengths. Strumlever was the only other to finish.

4.25—VICTORY 'CHASE, an open handicap 'chase of 250 sovs. About 2½ m. 75 yds.
Miss D. Paget's ch. g. RED RUFUS II., by Bachelor's Image—Betty IV., a, 10-10 ....Capt. Brownhill 1
Major N. Furlong's REALLY TRUE, a, 10-13 ....Mr. Furlong 2
Mr. T. Rayson's TETRASANT, 6, 10-11 ....Mr. T. Walwyn 3
Also ran—Ruin (Sir Peter Grant Lawson), Camp Bed (Capt. West). Off at 4.33. (Winner trained by Briscoe.)
Betting—21 to 20 agst. Ruin, 7 to 2 Camp Bed, 4 to 1 Tetrasant, 10 to 1 RED RUFUS II. or any other.
Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 13/-; places, 6/6, 7/-.
Won by twelve lengths; four lengths. Ruin was fourth.

TOTALISATOR DAILY DOUBLE.—Lare and Fortnum. Dividend, £8 13/-. Pool, £598 10/-. 68 winning tickets.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Forage Cap Sold to Mr. Whitney.

The hurdler, Forage Cap, was purchased privately from Messrs. Jones and Lester on Saturday by Mr. J. H. Whitney, the American millionaire, and, after carrying his new owner's colours unsuccessfully in the Imperial Cup at Sandown Park, he was sent to join J. R. Anthony's team at Letcombe Regis, Wantage.

Speck Injured at Sandown

W. Speck, the jockey, was injured while riding Royal Stranger in the Imperial Cup at Sandown Park races on Saturday, and after passing the post he fell to the ground and was brought back in the ambulance. His mount had struck the rails at the bend into the straight, and, as the rail was broken, a piece of it penetrated Speck's leg, cutting right through the riding boot. It was feared at first that the leg was broken, but medical examination, fortunately, proved that this was not so.

Solario to Be Sold.

Solario, the famous sire, for which £100,000 was once offered by the Aga Khan, is to be sold, with the other stallions, brood mares and foals, which belonged to the late Sir John Rutherford, at the Newmarket Second July Meeting. The horses in training will be offered at Newmarket on April 27—2,000 Guineas day. Solario won the St. Leger in 1925 and the Ascot Gold Cup in 1926, and nearly £21,000 in stake money. He has been a great success at the stud, one of his sons being Orpen, who was second in both the Derby and the St. Leger last year. Solario stands at the Terrace House Stud, Newmarket, at a fee of five hundred guineas.

Doubts About Old Riley.

Old Riley, who has been a leading public fancy for the Lincolnshire Handicap for some weeks, is at present a doubtful runner for the race as the result of a mishap during training. Mr. H. J. Bruston, his owner, discussing the gelding's mishap on Saturday, said:—"Old Riley fell and cut his knees while exercising one day this week. There is a possibility that he may after all be able to run at Lincoln on Wednesday, and he was able to walk four miles this morning. I am having another vet. to examine the gelding. We shall not decide one way or the other until Tuesday."

Chester Race Co. Receipts.

At the annual meeting of the Chester Race Company on Saturday it was stated that the receipts of last year, after payment of tax, were £22,989, compared with £23,596 the previous year.

POINT-TO-POINT.

NEWRY HARRIERS.

Newry Harriers, established over thirty years, held their first point-to-point at Mullaghglass, Newry, on Saturday. There was splendid racing, and a big company.

NEWRY HUNT CUP—Mr. J. Cox's Little Bud, 1; Miss B. Sherlock's DELIGHT, 2; Dr. G. F. Gillespie's BROWN EYES, 3. Nine ran.

NARROW WATER CUP—Miss Dawson's FINN, 1; Mrs. B. G. D'Olier's JOKER, 2. Five ran. An objection to the winner on the ground of crossing was overruled.

FARMERS' RACE—W. S. McKinney's IRISH CAPTAIN, 1; Mr. Wm. Thompson's COON'S HOPE, 2; Mr. J. McKinney's BAY ENSIGN, 3. Eight ran.

MULLAGHGLASS CUP—Mr. J. Cox's LITTLE COLLEEN, 1; Mr. R. Cowdy's SQUEELS, 2; Mr. Wm. Henning's LISANODE, 3. Six ran.

DRUMBANAGHER CUP—Mr. R. J. Byrne's PLAYFELLOW beat Captain M. Close's Paddy.

THIS WEEK'S RACING FIXTURES.

IRELAND.

Wednesday and Thursday—Baldoyle.
Thursday—Limerick.

ENGLAND.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—Lincoln.
Monday and Tuesday—Hawthorn Hill.
Monday—Colwall Park.
Thursday, Friday and Saturday—Liverpool.

LINCOLN PROGRAMME.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Trial Selling—Saugor.
Brocklesby Trial Plate—King Baldwin.
Tathwell Auction Plate—Roselet colt.
Welbeck Handicap—Watchmate.
Hainton Plate—The Welsher.
Canwick Maiden Plate—Lure.

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.
The Welsher and Roselet colt.

FORM HORSES.

2. 0—Obliterate.
2.30—Talkie.
3. 0—Joe Moore.
3.30—Watchmate.
4. 0—Bridgend (nap).
4.30—Flower Fish.

Eclipse.

2.0—TRIAL SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 1 m. Age st. lb.
ELTON (Mr. R. W. Foster) H. Leader a 9 10
GREEN WILLOW (Mr. R. Jeffrey) Earl 6 9 10
DUNDRAVE (Mr. Maiden) J. Reardon 5 9 10
SAUGOR (Mr. B. Dennis) ....Drake a 9 7
LUCKY CHARM (Mrs. Gilbert) Coldbeck 6 9 7
BERKELEY BRIDGE (Mr. Hands) Saxby a 9 7
EN GARDE (Mr. F. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 6 9 7
MULTORB (Mr. J. Ramsden) Pickering 4 9 6
FIRST FANCY (Mr. Bruxton) C. Piggott 4 9 3
CLASSIC (Mr. C. C. Pilkington) Briscoe 4 9 3
LION D'ANGERS (Mr. W. Swain) Thrale 4 9 3
MILESIAN (Mr. J. Aitken) ....Aitken 4 8 10
BAKER'S DOZEN (Mr. Morris) F. Armstrong 3 8 0
CARONA (Mr. W. Griggs) ...Wal. Griggs 3 7 11
GALAVALE (Capt. T. Hogg) G. Barling 3 7 11
POLISH (Capt. C. F. Elsey) ....Elsey 3 7 10
DEARER STILL (Mr. Webster) Gunter 3 7 10
BLUE BAND (Major Bardwell) C. Leader 3 7 7
NISBET (Mrs. M. Brook) ....Vasey 3 7 7
SPORTSMAN (Mr. Maugham) ...Botterill 3 7 7
OBLITERETTE (Mr. V. Smyth) V. Smyth 3 7 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
430	ELTON	Jelliss	8/1
000	GREEN WILLOW	H. Wragg	10/1
000	DUNDRAVE	Dick	100/8
100	LUCKY CHARM	Graves	10/1
221	SAUGOR	Smirke	9/2
000	BERKELEY BRIDGE	Herbert	7/1
200	EN GARDE	G. Richards	6/1
000	MULTORB	R. Jones	10/1
000	FIRST FANCY	S. Wragg	100/8
210	LION D'ANGERS	C. Richards	7/1
004	MILESIAN	Baines	100/8
043	BAKER'S DOZEN	Weston	8/1
013	CARONA	F. Rickaby	7/2
200	GALAVALE	Archibald	100/6
0	DEARER STILL	Barugh	100/6
	BLUE BAND	Dowdall	100/6
	NISBET	Braithwaite	100/6
	SPORTSMAN	Adley	100/6
004	OBLITERATE	Sirett	4/1

2.30—BROCKLESBY TRIAL PLATE (handicap) of 200 sovs. 5 f. Age st. lb.
MARY MAC (Mr. Schlesinger) H. Smyth 5 9 10
THUNDER SQUALL (Sir L. Green) T. Green 6 9 9
GOLDEN LEGEND (Major Bardwell) C. Leader 5 9 4
HOMER (Mr. A. de Rothschild) J. Watson 4 9 3
ARRAN BEG (Mr. F. Deuchar) F. Armstrong a 9 2
STRONGBOW (Mr. Pearson) L. Pearson 5 9 2
ELIXIR (Mrs. C. D. Leyland) ...Renton 4 9 0
TALKIE (Mr. F. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 5 8 12
BABA (Mr. J. G. Storey) ....Drake 4 8 10
MERITONDY (Mrs. O. Lyons) H. Smyth 4 8 9
DAMERHAM (Mr. C. Gordon) J. Jarvis 4 8 8
EAGLERAY (Mrs. Edgar Wallace) Beary 4 8 8
LUNDY LIGHT (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong a 8 7
CAPTAIN KING (Mrs. Fairfax) R. J. Colling 5 8 7
KING BALDWIN (Mrs. Wallace) Beary 5 8 5
GLISSADE (Mrs. Misa) ....V. Smyth 4 8 4
WOODBOROUGH (Mr. J. G. Storey) G. Sadler 4 8 3
TOM FOOL (Mr. H. L. Cottrill) Cottrill 4 8 2
DANCE ON (Capt. C. F. Elsey) ...Elsey 5 7 9
FLAMING FLAG (Mr. Lund) R. Parker a 7 7
PLECTRUM (Lord Rosebery) ...J. Jarvis 3 7 7
WHEELRACE (Mr. J. B. Joel)...C. Peck 4 7 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
000	MARY MAC	Packham	100/8
041	THUNDERSQUALL	E. Fox	11/2
334	GOLDEN LEGEND	Childs	10/1
130	HOMER	Perryman	5/1
011	ARRAN BEG	Marshall	9/2
200	STRONGBOW	J. Taylor	100/8
002	ELIXIR	Caldwell	100/8
112	TALKIE	G. Richards	5/1
003	BABA	Smirke	10/1
122	MERITONDY	F. Rickaby	6/1
020	DAMERHAM	Jelliss	100/8
313	LUNDY LIGHT	G. Walsh	7/1
201	CAPTAIN KING	P. Beasley	8/1
040	KING BALDWIN	Dick	100/7
200	GLISSADE	A. Wragg	100/7
000	WOODBOROUGH	Dines	100/8
00	TOM FOOL	Sirett	10/1
200	DANCE ON	Nevett	10/1
040	FLAMING FLAG	C. Richards	100/8
003	PLECTRUM	K. Robertson	100/7
430	WHEELRACE	F. Fox	7/1

3.0—TATHWELL AUCTION PLATE of 200 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.
ROSELET C. (Mr. B. Jarvis) ....Owner 8 12
MICROPHONE C. (Mr. J. L. Jarvis) Owner 8 12
JOE MOORE (Mr. H. B. Leach)...H. Leach 8 12
NATALIE C. (Mr. H. B. Leach) H. Leach 8 12
ANTIQUE (Mr. G. Peck) ....Bazley 8 12
DON McSWEENEY (Mr. H. S. Perse) Perse 8 12
OBDURATE C. (Mr. F. G. Taylor) F. Taylor 8 12
YOUNG ENTRY G. (Maj. Musker) H. Leader 8 9
CLONEGAM (Mr. J. Beary) ....Beary 8 9
DRAUGHTSMAN (Maj. Beatty) ......Beatty 8 9
ROSULA G. (Mr. Briscoe)..............Briscoe 8 9
TOP O' THE BILL (Mrs. M. Brook) Vasey 8 9
PIASTRE G. (Lady Carrick)..........Briscoe 8 9
DIET (Lt.-Col. J. Carruthers)...R. J. Colling 8 9
SKIPPER'S SLIP F. (Mr. R. J. Colling) R. J. Colling 8 9
LIGHT AND AIRY (Mr. H. Cottrill) Owner 8 9
DODDER F. (Mr. R. Day)............R. Day 8 9
LINGY HEATH F. (Mr. F. W. Dennis) F. A. Brown 8 9
MADGE MEE (Sir F. Eley) ...... Templeman 8 9
PRINCESS SALOME F. (Mr. T. H. Farr) Private 8 9
FROSTERLEY (Mr. V. P. Gilpin)...Gilpin 8 9
RICH KITTY (Mr. W. Hammett) ...Hammett 8 9
WILLING PAT (Mr. G. W. Hands)...Saxby 8 9
MINOR PLANET (Mr. F. Hartigan) Owner 8 9
SEA EGG F. (Mr. J. L. Jarvis) G. Barling 8 9
OVERDALE (Miss Lacey)..........Hammett 8 9
ISRAFIL F. (Col. F. J. Lundgren) Easterby 8 9
LAKIN (Mr. E. G. de Mestre) ... De Mestre 8 9
RETURN FARE (Mr. H. T. Mills) S. Darling 8 9
VIDELLA (Maj. A. W. Molony).......Monoly 8 9
CURFEW III. (Maj. A. W. Molony) Molony 8 9
THE BLONDE F. (Mr. Scarborough) F. G. Taylor 8 9
FRENCH LADY F. (Mr. H. Smyth) H. Smyth 8 9
CARPET BAG (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 8 9
MRS. BOWCHER F. (Mr. P. Thrale) Thrale 8 9
MISADVENTURE (Lt.-Col. Wingfield) Pope 8 9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
	ROSELET C.	Carslake	5/1
	MICROPHONE C.	Nevett	10/1
	HAPUTALE C.	F. Rickaby	8/1
	JOE MOORE	H. Wragg	7/2
	ANTIQUE	Caldwell	100/8
	DON McSWEENEY	H. Beasley	10/1
	OBDURATE C.	J. Taylor	100/6
	WILLING PAT	Herbert	100/6
	CLONEGAM	Beary	10/1
	ROSULA G.	Weston	7/1
	TOP OF THE BILL	S. Wragg	8/1
	PIASTRE G.	R. Jones	10/1
	DIET	P. Donoghue	5/1
	SKIPPER'S SLIP F.	P. Beasley	100/8
	LIGHT AND AIRY	Sirett	10/1
	DODDER F.	Dines	8/1
	LINGY HEATH F.	Brennan	100/6
	MADGE MEE	F. Fox	100/8
	PRINCESS SALOME F.	Jelliss	10/1
	MINOR PLANET	G. Richards	10/1
	OVERDALE	E. Fox	100/7
	LAKIN	Ray	100/7
	RETURN FARE	Southey	100/6
	CURFEW III	Dick	10/1
	FRENCH LADY F.	Packham	100/6

3.30—WELBECK HANDICAP (Plate) of 400 sovs. 7 f. st. lb.
STRAIGHT SEQUENCE (Sir A. Butt) Frank Butters 9 7
BULL POINT (Mr. E. Esmond) J. Jarvis 9 6
VILLAGE GREEN (Mrs. Wallace) ... Beary 8 13
JENKINS' EAR (Mr. A. de Rothschild) J. Watson 8 8
NAUGHTY PEGGY (Mr. Jackson) A. Reader 8 8
WATCHMATE (Lord Glanely)............Hogg 8 4
HUNTER'S BAR (Mr. Downing) M. Vasey 8 3
WATER-WAY (Mr. J. L. Jarvis) J. Jarvis 7 13
SUNNY SHOWER (Maj. Matthews) ... Kirk 7 11
VARSITY EXPRESS (Mr. Harvey) Private 7 11
BLACK AND BLUE (Mr. H. Lester) G. Todd 7 9
DOUBLE WIDTH (Sir H. de Trafford) Pope 7 9
TALISMAN (Mr. T.-Smith).........Templeman 7 9
ROYAL STAG (Capt. C. F. Elsey).......Elsey 7 8
STEPPING ALONG (Mr. E. C. Nolan) R. J. Colling 7 7
TORELET (Mr. W. J. Arrowsmith) Arrowsmith 7 7
BOGEY (Mr. C. R. Taylor)..........F. Leader 7 3
AMBLA (Mr. J. Ramsden)..........Pickering 7 2
KILDONAN (Mr. W. H. Thorpe) H. Leach 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
000	STRAIGHT SEQUENCE	Carslake	8/1
100	BULL POINT	Jelliss	10/1
000	JENKIN'S EAR	Perryman	7/1
000	NAUGHTY PEGGY	L. Brown	100/8
031	WATCHMATE	F. Rickaby	11/4
100	HUNTER'S BAR	Dowdall	10/1
000	WATER WAY	Robertson	10/1
212	SUNNY SHOWER	S. Wragg	7/1
000	VARSITY EXPRESS	W. Rickaby	8/1
432	BLACK AND BLUE	Smirke	5/1
100	DOUBLE WIDTH	Weston	8/1
000	TALISMAN	F. Fox	10/1
100	ROYAL STAG	Nevett	100/8
100	STEPPING ALONG	P. Evans	100/6
300	TORELET	Dines	100/6
003	BOGEY	Simpson	10/1
000	AMBLA	Adley	100/6
323	KILDONAN	E. Smith	5/1

4.0—HAINTON PLATE (handicap) of 200 sovs. 1¼ m. Age. st. lb.
SPHINX II. (M. M. Boussac) B. Jarvis 5 9 7
BLUE DON (Mr. Wal. Griggs) Owner 6 9 4
BREAK OF DAY (Lord Brougham and Vaux) Pickering a 8 13
DUSTY (Mr. V. Smyth) V. Smyth 5 8 12
COUNTER (Capt. Wilson) Storie 6 8 9
NESTORIAN (Mrs. Wallace) Beary a 8 8
PRARGENT (Mrs. Cornelius) L. Ward 5 8 6
CASTLE MARTIN (Mr. G. Carr) Tabor 4 8 6
GENIUS (Mr. P. Haldin) C. Leader 4 8 4
PARAGUAY (Mr. Hugh Lygon) Beary 4 8 3
TRUE COPY (Sir F. Eley) Templeman a 8 3
WHITE MAY (Miss P. Barlow) R. W. Colling 6 7 13
APPLE ROYAL (Mr. Forwood) Forwood 6 7 13
BRIDGEND (Mr. H. J. Read) G. Todd 5 7 8
PEER GYNT (Mr. A. J. Buston) F. Leader 4 7 7
STERLING BOY (Mr. Oppenheim) Butchers 5 7 6
JACK WOOD (Mr. W. Swire) G. Armstrong 5 7 5
MANVERO (Mr. Anderton) W. Nightingall a 7 5
ANGEL PAVEMENT (Mr. Hooley) Cockton 5 7 4
RAFORA (Mr. W. H. Morgan) Hy. Powney 3 7 3
CAPLERIG (Mrs. J. S. Gorman) Easterby 5 7 0
SAPHIR (Mr. C. Hartigan) M. Hartigan 4 7 0
THE WELSHER (Mr. J. Moseby) H. Hunt 4 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
401	SPHINX II.	Carslake	7/1
240	BLUE DON	F. Rickaby	8/1
000	BREAK OF DAY	R. Jones	100/8
040	DUSTY	H. Gunn	5/1
020	COUNTER	J. Taylor	100/8
310	GENIUS	H. Wragg	6/1
031	TRUE COPY	F. Fox	4/1
200	WHITE MAY	S. Donoghue	8/1
100	APPLE ROYAL	Dines	10/1
132	BRIDGEND	Gethin	9/2
120	PEER GYNT	Simpson	10/1
100	STERLING BOY	Weston	5/1
213	JACK WOOD	W. Carr	10/1
000	ANGEL PAVEMENT	C. Richards	100/8
210	RAFORA	R. Rook	10/1
340	CAPLERIG	G. Reid	100/8
004	SAPHIR	Treacy	100/8
003	THE WELSHER	Sharpe	10/1

4.30—CANWICK MAIDEN PLATE of 150 sovs. Three-year-olds. 1¼ m. st. lb.
BLACK FOX (Sir Abe Bailey)..........Cottrill 8 12
DUNREL (Mr. E. H. Bell)..........Renton 8 12
LURE (Mr. H. Kent)..........Wal. Griggs 8 12
FLOWER FISH (Mr. V. P. Misa) V. Smyth 8 12
HAREBY (Mr. J. W. Ramsden)..........Elsey 8 12
TALISMAN (Mr. E. T-Smith) Templeman 8 12
TOROKU (Maj. R. Bruce)...R. J. Colling 8 9
BRIGHT PRINCE (Mr. R. J. Colling) Owner 8 9
TIME CALL (Mr. H. L. Cottrill)..........Cottrill 8 9
BEE BEE (Mrs. Norman Field)..........Storie 8 9
MIXED GRILL (Lord Fitzwilliam)...Dundas 8 9
KENTISH MIST (Mr. J. U. Gaskell)...Earl 8 9
SWEET JAPAN (Lady R. Groves)...Cooke 8 9
EUCHARIA (Mrs. P. Harding)...H. Leader 8 9
SPINNER'S HOME (Mr. C. Leader) C. Leader 8 9
SLOW TIME (Mrs. S. Oxenham) Smallwood 8 9
BUCENTAUR (Lord Rosebery)...J. Jarvis 8 9
BROWN JILL (Mr. A. C. Scott)...Macnee 8 9
DEFARGO (Mrs. S. Bingham)..........Pease 8 9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
	BLACK FOX	P. Donoghue	8/1
000	DUNREL	Thwaites	100/8
0	LURE	F. Rickaby	5/2
000	FLOWER FISH	A. Wragg	9/2
008	HAREBY	J. Taylor	4/1
000	TALISMAN	F. Fox	7/1
040	BUCENTAUR	H. Wragg	6/1
	TOROKU	P. Beasley	10/1
	TIME CALL	Sirett	10/1
000	BEE BEE	Caldwell	8/1
	MIXED GRILL	R. James	100/8
200	KENTISH MIST	S. Wragg	7/1
00	EUCHARIA	Fawdon	100/8
	SPINNER'S HOME	Perryman	10/1

BIG HANDICAP CANDIDATES.

WITTICISM A LIKELY OUTSIDER FOR THE LINCOLNSHIRE HANDICAP.

From Our Travelling Correspondent.

LONDON, Sunday Night.

WITH the racing at Sandown yesterday there finished the last full week of steeplechasing and hurdle racing that we shall see until next winter. It has been, on the whole, a good jumping season; for runners have been plentiful, the quality well up to the average, and there have been few interruptions on account of adverse weather.

From a speculator's point of view it has, however, been disastrous, and the bookmakers have had the best winter season they have known for many years. Away back in January I mentioned that bookmakers who, at that time of the season were, as a rule, to be found in Switzerland or the South of France, or West Indies, were at home glued to their pitches and raking in the shekels.

There is one very large firm of bookmakers who during the period of racing under Jockey Club rules have half a dozen representatives in the Ring. They have never bothered to keep more than one in the winter, more for the convenience of their clients who go jumping than anything else.

Quite early in the winter they discovered that this single representative was simply raking in money, and the going seemed so good that they set practically all their summer staff to work again, with most profitable results to themselves. Most bookmakers were losers on last season's transactions on the flat, but there is no single one of them with a good all-round book who is anything but a good winner, and consistently, too, since jumping began.

LINCOLNSHIRE HORSES.

There have been showers of snow and a good deal of frost through the week-end, but at the time of writing the wind has shifted round to the south-west, and the prospects seem fair for the beginning of the season under Jockey Club rules at Lincoln to-morrow. There will certainly be a lot of fit horses during the opening week, which will make the competition keener than ever. But the remarkably mild and dry winter has brought other things with it, and trainers are having the unusual experience of two-year-olds they hoped to run in the first week of the season unable to go to Lincoln or Liverpool on account of shin soreness, and this, too, in a year when the season begins much earlier than usual.

One consequence of there being so many horses fit is that we shall probably see the unusual spectacle of more runners for the Lincolnshire Handicap than for the Grand National, as I take it that more than forty will line up at Lincoln, and that there cannot be more than 38 at Liverpool, Remus, one of the 39 left in at the final acceptance, being a hopeless case following his mishap at Sandown.

There have been one or two developments in connection with the Lincolnshire during the week, one being the backing of Lady Marjorie, who has come from 40 to 1 to a third of the odds. I referred a week ago to the splendid way in which this filly has been going in her work, and when her owner gave a strong lead and all the long prices available were taken all over the country, the public followed suit, so she will on the day be one of the best-backed candidates in the race.

While admitting her class I am not sure of her courage. When she lost the 1,000 Guineas by swerving Gordon Richards was blamed for having drawn the whip on her coming out of the Dip. My own impression of that race, which was recorded here at the time, was that the filly had begun to swerve before ever Richards felt for his whip, and that it was the cut he gave her which straightened her out, and enabled her to get within a head of Four Course. Ever since I have been suspicious about Lady Marjorie, and I want to see her run a good race in public before taking her to my heart in an important handicap.

JERICHO'S PROGRESS.

Diolite has had a few upper-cuts in the market and gone to the ropes at 18 to 1, but what I hear about his physical progress is good. Zanoff displaced Jericho from favouritism at the last call-over on Friday, but I believe there was fresh money for Mr. Whitney's colt yesterday morning. At Sandown Jack Anthony gave me an excellent account of the progress of Jericho during the week.

Zanoff is a colt whose chance I could like very much if I were assured he would get the mile, but when in recommending his chance at the six furlongs of the Stewards' Cup, where he was second, I thought that he did not stay on as well as Poor Lad. His dam, Zinovia, a winner of the Cambridgeshire, was a very good mare, but she has not thrown a good one before Zanoff, and his sire, Pelops, who was never more than a five-furlong horse, has not been a crashing success at the stud. I do not say that Zanoff will not get the mile, but the known probabilities suggest that he may not.

No thing would surprise me less than to find the winner of the Lincolnshire come from the lower half of the handicap, and I know of a batch of horses with light weights that are really well fancied as well as Jericho—namely, Eldorado, Knight of the Vale, Go Easy (still most confidently believed in by his trainer), Witticism, Seascape and Dooley, about whom Mr. Boydie Davis is very confident.

Old Riley, I hear, hurt himself at exercise, and may not be able to run. Sam Armstrong, I believe, fancies Witticism, a four-year-old gelding by Papyrus, who had a busy time last year, for he ran on seventeen occasions. Readers can get an idea of his form from the fact that at Newcastle he beat Sir Walter Raleigh by three lengths when Mr. Peard's colt was trying to give him a stone.

WITTICISM'S CHANCE.

There was one more significant performance of his that rather impressed me, and that was at Doncaster when with a big field behind him that included the Cambridgeshire winner, Disarmament, he beat Pricket, who was giving him a stone, by a head. A few weeks later Pricket won the Duke of York Handicap with 7st. 13lb., and before the season closed won the Birmingham Handicap with the same weight by a length from Grandmaster and good horses like Heronslea, Philae, Fleeting Memory and Bargany behind.

There is thus a line to good handicap form for Witticism, and with 7st. 2lb. he is not overdone with weight. He seems to me to represent a good 40 to 1 chance, this being the price which can be obtained about him. If I hear favourable accounts about him at Lincoln it is very likely that I shall include him when taking a few horses to beat the rest of the field.

I did not hear at the week-end anything that seriously affects the Grand National. Vinicole, of course, retreated in the market after his Sandown failure, where the over-reach was slight. Those connected with Gregalach attach little importance to his failure, and Grakle remains a firm favourite. The subject of the National can be left until we see whether the work on the course on Thursday morning clarifies ideas.

I shall hope there to hear flattering accounts of Inverse and see him well. While the old and bold have to be respected always, I have a great liking for a young horse, who has once shown his capacity to jump the country, and who is attempting the Grand National for the first time.

A SMART HURDLER.

The Grand Military meeting closed well yesterday, and comment is again deserved on the excellent riding of the soldiers. I thought the Imperial Cup an open race and selected Last of the Dandies as a good young horse. He was ridden by the lad Hollick instead of the badly injured W. J. Payne, and he won by two lengths from another five-year-old, Tees Head, with last year's winner, Residue, who started favourite, three lengths away third. Last of the Dandies, who is by Dorsay, was bred by Mr. Henry Williams, of Liverpool, who has a small stud on the Wirrall Peninsula. He was leased to Mr. Tom Walls's stable, and was a useful two-year-old. Last year he was leased again to Mr. John Westgate, of Liverpool, who sent him to Payne.

The victory of Last of the Dandies is interesting, for he was Go Easy's test horse for the Lincolnshire. It was a triumph for the young horse, who beat all the best hurdlers in training, with the exception of Insurance, who was not started with his 13st. Song of Essex, who finished fifth, ran well until he met the hill, where he shortened his stride.

Lare, a ten-year-old mare by Belted Earl, who has been performing with great success at point-to-point and soldiers' meetings, won the Grand Military Hunters' 'Chase, in which she was excellently ridden by her owner, Mr. J. P. A. Graham.

The Black Fellow, who started favourite for the Grand Military Handicap 'Chase, hit a fence early on and threw Wing-Commander Read. In the run in Ferrans looked likely to win, but he was caught and beaten a short head in a great finish by Fortnum. This was the first and only victory of the meeting for the Royal Navy, as Fortnum is owned, and was ridden, by Mr. Courage, a sub in the Senior Service.

SELECTIONS.

The most important race to-morrow is the Welbeck Handicap. There are three or four in this race that can be fancied on last year's form, like Straight Sequence, Bull Point, Jenkins's Ear and Watchmate. I give preference to JENKINS'S EAR. STERLING BOY may win the Hainton Plate, and TIME CALL the Canwick Maiden Plate.

GALTEE MORE.

SELECTIONS FOR LINCOLN MEETING TO-DAY

PAPER.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.	4.30 RACE.
Irish Times	Saugor.	King Baldwin.	Roselet colt.	Watchmate.	The Welsher.	Lure.
Galtee More	—	—	—	Jenkins' Ear.	Sterling Boy.	Time Call.
S. Life & Sportsman	Carona.	Talkie.	Roselet colt.	Watchmate.* Bull Point, place. Kildonan.	Sterling Boy; True Copy, place. Genius.	Hareby.
Man on the Spot...	Carona.	Glissade.*	Dodder filly.	Watchmate.	Manvera.	Lure.
Daily Sketch	Obliterate.*	Homer.	Roselet colt.	Bull Point.	Sterling Boy.*	Lure.
Star	Carona.	Arran Beg.	Diet.	Bogey.	True Copy.	Bucentaur.
Evening News	Classic.	Homer.*	Roselet colt.	—	—	Bucentaur.
Evening Standard..	—	—	—	—	—	—
The Times	—	—	—	—	—	—

THE SPRING HANDICAPS.

PROBABLE RUNNERS AND JOCKEYS FOR LINCOLN AND LIVERPOOL.

THE LINCOLNSHIRE.

DIOLITE, b. h. by Diophon—Needle Rock (Sir H. Hirst), 5, 9-5 (F. Templeman) F. Fox
POMMAME, b. g. by Pommern—My Dame (Mr. J. Benson), 5, 8-0 (P. Lowe) H. Beasley
FLEETING MEMORY, b. h. by Vencedor—Memoria II. (Mr. A. Savile), a, 8-8 (J. Beary) M. Beary
ALLUVIAL, ch. c. by Pondoland—Sweepedeza (Mr. J. Joel), 4, 8-7 (C. Peck) B. Carslake
FLYING ARGOSY, ch. h. by Argosy—Flying Fish (Mrs. F. Nagle), 5, 8-7 (H. Powney) J. Taylor
LADY MARJORIE, b. f. by Sansovino—Florena (Mr. M. Benson), 4, 8-5 (R. Day) H. Wragg
ZANOFF, b. c. by Pelops—Zinovia (Mr. Z. Michalinos), 4, 8-3 (A. Molony)...G. Richards
GOLDEN CLOUD, gr. g. by Milesius—Fariat (Mr. M. Caddy), 6, 8-3 (J. Kelly) ...M. Wing
GRAND SALUTE, b. h. by Grand Parade—Flechette (Lord Glanely), 5, 8-3 (Hogg) F. Rickaby
POOR LAD, br. h. by Cygnus—Beggar (Sir H. C.-Owen), 5, 8-0 (O. Bell)..........S. Wragg
EYES FRONT, ch. g. by Grand Parade—Ciliata (Mr. J. Downing), 5, 7-13 (M. Vasey)
ANTHURIUM, br. h. by Phalaris—Tilia (Mr. H. L. Cottrill), 5, 7-11 (H. L. Cottrill) J. Sirett
KNIGHT ERROR, ch. h. by Prince Galahad—V.A.D. (Capt. S. Wilson), 6, 7-10 (P. Whitaker) ....John Doyle
RED LETTER DAY, br. c. by Rose Prince—La Paloma (Mrs. D. Wilson), 4, 7-10 (T. Waugh)..........F. Lane
LIGHT O' LOVE, b. c. by Pharos—Princess Sublime (Mr. E. Esmond), 4, 7-10 (J. Jarvis)..........W. Nevett
SPINNER'S COTTAGE, br. h. by Cottage—First Spinner (Capt. Jameson), 5, 7-10 (A. Law)..........S. Donoghue
ELDORADO, ch. c. by Silvern—Eliel (Mrs. Lambert), 4, 7-7 (J. Storie) ...H. Gunn
JERICHO, g. c. by Roi Herode—My Jess (Mr. Whitney), 4, 7-7 (J. Anthony) K. Gethin
SARGASSO, br. h. by Phalaris—Spindrift (Mr. W. Thorpe), 6, 7-6 (H. Leach) J. Dines
TWELFTH NIGHT, bl. or br. c. by Stratford—Pure Gaiety (Mrs. J. Jones), 4, 7-6 (J. Scott) ....James Doyle
KEN HILL, b. g. by Somme Kiss—Mary Marjorie (Sir L. Green), a, 7-6 (T. Green) ....E. Fox
KNIGHT OF THE VALE, ch. h. by Prince Galahad—Maida Vale (Lord Abergavenny), 5, 7-5 (P. Whitaker) ...C. Dowdall
GO EASY, b. g. by Stratford—Polar Belle (Miss V. Ellis), 6, 7-3 (W. Payne) T. Weston
WITTICISM, br. g. by Papyrus—Bright Folly (Mr. N. Field), 4, 7-2 (F. Armstrong) A. Smirke
KENWYN, ch. g. by Irishman—Christina (Miss D. Paget), a, 7-2 (A. Briscoe) K. Robertson
OLD RILEY, ch. g. by Old Rowley—Pearl Oyster (Mr. H. Bruston), 5, 6-13 (F. Hudson)..........A. Burns
JEROME FANDOR, ch. g. by Fantomas—Minden Maid (Mr. McKinlay), 4, 6-13 (H. Peacock) ....W. Christie
BENBURB, b. g. by Irish Rattle—Roseanna (Mr. J. Hamer), a, 6-12 (W. Carr) W. H. Carr
GHOST TRAIN, gr. g. by Golden Orb—Grey Goose (Mrs. A. Cornelius), 6, 6-12 (P. Thrale)..........C. Richards
SEASCAPE, ch. f. by Gainsborough—Kitty Shore (Mr. D. Joel), 4, 6-11 (W. Earl) W. Rickaby
MAN OF PROPERTY, b. c. by Town Guard—Ma Poupee (Mr. Blagrave), 4, 6-10 (H. Blagrave)..........E. Smith
AMOYA, ch. f., by Milesius—Chaucer's Choice (Mrs. Long), 4, 6-10 (A. Briscoe) ...E. Quick
MANBO, b. g. by Apron—Toybridge (Mr. Berry), 4, 6-10 (F. Morgan) ...R. Morgan
DOOLEY, b. g. by Greek Bachelor—Illinois (Mr. B. Davis), 4, 6-8 (B. Davis) F. Sharpe
MARTEN'S TOWER, br. c., by Craig an Eran—Long Tait (Mr. Maiden), 4, 6-8 (J. Reardon) ....F. Hunter
FRAUDULENT, b. g., by Golden Sun—Kira (Mr. F. D. Wilson), 7, 6-8 (R. Maw) T. Swales
ENCHI, b. c., by Lemonora—Espere (Mrs. Long), 4, 6-7 (A. Briscoe) ...W. Fagg
PHILIPPOS, b. g., by My Ronald—Lomond Lily (Mr. Ison), 4, 6-7 (W. Yapp)...W. Stocks

THE GRAND NATIONAL.

GREGALACH (Mrs. M. A. Gemmell), ch. g. by My Prince—St. Germaine, 10, 12-7 (P. Woodland) ....Mr. F. Thackray
SHAUN GOILIN (Mr. W. H. Midwood), ch. g., sire's pedigree unknown—Golden Day, 12, 12-4 (F. Hartigan)......D. Williams
GRAKLE (Mr. C. R. Taylor), b. g. by Jackdaw—Lady Crank, 10, 12-3 (T. Coulthwaite) ....Mr. J. Fawcus
COUP DE CHAPEAU (Mr. J. Drake), b. g. by Chardonneret—Mistinguette, 8, 11-10 (E St. G. Stenall) ....G. Wilson
INVERSE (Lady Lindsay), br. g. by St. Girons—Inversion, 6, 11-7 (Col. G. Foljambe) ....R. Lyall
HEARTBREAK HILL (Mrs. C. S. Bird, jun.), b. m. by Don Juan—Little Sweetheart, 7, 11-6 (H. Ussher) ....W. O'Grady
VINICOLE (Capt. J. W. Bridges), b. g. by The Alder—Tintara, 8, 11-3 (I. Anthony) D. Morgan
SEA SOLDIER (Mr. A. H. Niblack), ch. g. by Man o' War—Sea Name, 10, 11-2 (J. Pendarves) ....Lex Wilson
APOSTASY (Lady Lindsay), br. m. by Cecilian—Faithless, 11, 11-0 (Private) W. Parvin
HOLMES (Mr. E. T. Tyrwhitt-Drake), br. g. by Ardoon, dam's pedigree unknown, 12, 11-0 (C. Beechener) ......Mr. C. Beechener
THERAS (Mr. Jesse Metcalf), ch. g. by Lomond—Thera II., 7, 10-12 (H. Harrison) ....Mr. G. Owen, jun.
ALIKE (Mr. R. K. Mellon), br. m. by Southannan—Very Same, 9, 10-11 (A. Law) ....—
ANNANDALE (Lord Glenapp), br. g. by Southannan—Lady Noggs, 10, 10-10 (Major F. W. Barrett) ....W. Stott
NEAR EAST (Mr. B. Brandt), bl. g. by Hapsburg—Toi Fair, 7, 10-10 (W. James) ....T. B. McCarthy
MERRIMENT IV. (Lord Haddington), ch. g. by Lovely Thrush—First Impression, 10, 10-10 (Wight) ....Lord Haddington
REMUS (Mr. A. E. Berry), b. g. by By George!—Ilia, 7, 10-9 (F. Morgan) A. Escott
GLANGESIA (Mr. R. K. Mellon), gr. g. by Le Souvenir—Mailline, 12, 10-9 (A. Law) ....G. Turner
OTTAWA (Mr. N. Alvarez), ch. g. by Manilardo—Wise Aunt, 8, 10-8 (T. R. Rimell) ....T. E. Leader
HANK (Mr. H. D. Cherry-Downes), br. g. by Devolution—Chatalja, 13, 10-8 (W. Gale) ....Mr. F. E. McKeever
POSSIBLE (Sir John Grey), b. g. by Great Sport—Fusome, 9, 10-7 (D. Harrison) T. Cullinan
EGREMONT (Mrs. Ireland), ch. g. by White Eagle—Queen Mother, 8, 10-7 (R. Woods) ....Mr. E. C. Paget
ARUNTIUS (Mr. M. D. Blair), b. g. by Call o' the Wild—Wine Gal, 11, 10-7 (M. D. Blair) ....D. McCann
ASPIRANT (Sir P. Grant Lawson), ch. g. by Birk Gill—Mount Grace, 9, 10-7 (J. Gosden) ....Sir P. G. Lawson
EVOLUTION (Mr. W. C. Langley), b. g. by The Vizier—Vab, 8, 10-7 (G. Beeby) —
GIBUS (Major Keith Menzies), ch. g. by Llangibby—Pen Dorwyd, 11, 10-7 (Major F. W. Barrett) ....—
PELORUS JACK (Mr. C. Phillips Brocklehurst), ch. g. by Golden Orb—Lady Fairstead, 9, 10-7 (P. Woodland) T. McNeill
THE ACE II. (Marquis de San Miguel), b or br. g. by Hollister—Foreshore, 10, 10-7 (Major F. W. Barrett) ....F. Maxwell
TAMASHA (Mr. G. Elliott), bl. or br. g. by Santoi—Reception, 11, 10-7 (F. Wint) ....Mr. G. Elliott
QUITE CALM (Mr. R. E. Morel), b. g. by Loch Lomond—Silver Sea, 8, 10-7 (B. Roberts) ....F. Gurney
REDLYNCH (Mr. J. Pendarves), ch. g. by Tracery—Glencree, 11, 10-7 (J. Pendarves) ....W. Redmond
DUSTY FOOT (Mr. J. H. Whitney), b. or br. g. by Martin Lightfoot—Omaha, 8, 10-7 (J. Anthony) W. Speck
FORBRA (Mr. W. Parsonage), br. g. by Foresight—Thymba, 7, 10-7 (T. F. Rimell) ....J. Hamey
K.C.B. (Mr. V. H. Smith), b. g. by The White Knight—Rill, 10, 10-7 (G. Beeby) ....J. Maloney
DELARUE (Mr. J. B. Snow), b. g. by St. Dunstan—Rose Amber, 10, 10-7 (G. Beeby) ....W. Kidney
HAREWOOD (Mr. R. H. Warden), b. g. by Southannan—Daisy, 10, 10-7 (I. Anthony) ....Mr. R. H. Warden
TOOTENHILL (Mrs. Boswell-Preston), b. g. by Poet Laureate—Think of Me, 10, 10-7 (G. H. Boswell-Preston) ...R. McCarthy
GREAT SPAN (Mr. M. D. Blair), b. g. by Bridge of Earn—Mullion, 11, 10-7 (M. D. Blair) ....G. Hardy
PRINCE CHERRY (Mr. M. D. Blair), b. g. by My Prince—Cherry Branch II., 8, 10-7 (M. D. Blair) ....T. Isaac
RUDDYMAN (Mr. H. Gordon Selfridge), b. g. by Ruddygore, dam by Hermit II.—Countess Belgrave, 13, 10-7 (Capt. J. B. Powell) ....E. Brown

FORM OF THE HORSES.

321 DIOLITE—Carried 8-12 when winning 1¼l., neck from Carola (7-10) and Grandmaster (7-6), with Seascape (6-7) 6th, Heronslea (8-7) 8th, and Trinidad (8-5) last of 13, Liverpool, November (1m.).
001 POMMAME—Carried 8-11 when winning 1l., 3l. from Hot Bun (9-4) and Blandearna (7-11) Liverpool, November (1½m. 170yds.).
000 FLEETING MEMORY—See Grandmaster.
443 FLYING ARGOSY—See Golden Cloud.
040 LADY MARJORIE—Carried 8-8 when unplaced to Pricket (7-13), Kempton, October (1m.).
320 ZANOFF—Carried 9-5 when unplaced to Watch Light (7-7), Newmarket, October (6f.). Carried 7-7 when beaten ½l. by Poor Lad (7-11), Goodwood, July (6f.).
201 GOLDEN CLOUD—Carried 8-1 when winning 3l., neck from Tantine (7-10) and Flying Argosy (8-12), with Anthurium (8-5) 8th, and Eldorado (7-13) 9th, Derby, November (1m.).
010 GRAND SALUTE—Carried 8-8 when unplaced to Artist's Proof (8-10), Sandown, July (1¼m.). Carried 7-5 when winning ¾l., 1½l. from Ellenborough (6-9) and Racedale (8-8), Ascot, June (7f 155yds.).
000 POOR LAD—Carried 7-10 when unplaced to North Drift (7-6), Manchester, November (1¼m.). See Zanoff.
110 EYES FRONT—See Knight of the Vale. Carried 9-2 when winning ¾l., 3l. from Gold Seal (8-13) and Bonford (8-13), Newbury, October (6f.). Carried 9-4 when winning neck, 3l. from Some Pep (9-4) and Skiff (9-1), Doncaster, October (6f.).
000 ANTHURIUM—See Golden Cloud.
033 KNIGHT ERROR—See Benburb.
000 RED LETTER DAY—See Knight of the Vale.
400 SPINNER'S COTTAGE—Carried 8-0 when 7th to Doctor Dolittle (9-5), Leicester, November (1m.).
040 LIGHT O' LOVE—See Knight of the Vale.
023 GRANDMASTER—See Diolite and Ken Hill. Carried 7-7 when beaten 1l. by Pricket (7-13), with Ken Hill (7-1) neck away 3rd, Heronslea (9-7) 5th, and Fleeting Memory (8-8) in rear, Birmingham, November (7f.).
140 ELDORADO—See Golden Cloud. Carried 8-11 when 4th to Paintbox (7-10), Worcester, November (1m.). Carried 9-0 when winning 1½l., ½l. from Nursewood (8-0) and Pure Food (7-11), Newcastle, October (7f.).
000 JERICHO—Carried 8-8 when unplaced to Norman Abbess (7-6), Birmingham, November (6f.)
301 SARGASSO—Carried 8-4 when winning head, 2l. from Pitter Patter (8-0) and Sea Wrack (7-6), Thirsk, October (1m.).
021 TWELFTH NIGHT—Carried 8-10 when winning neck, ½l. from Somme Orb (8-12) and Jock Trotter (8-9), Worcester, November (5f.).
134 KEN HILL—See Benburb and Grandmaster. Carried 7-13 when winning 2l., head, from Grandmaster (8-7) and Lion Hearted (9-7), with Seascape (7-8) 4th, Newmarket, October (7f.).
303 KNIGHT OF THE VALE—Carried 7-11 when beaten 10l., 1l., by Santilio (8-6) and Careful Sailor (8-5), with Eyes Front (8-8) 6th, Light o' Love (8-3) 7th, Witticism (7-10) 9th, and Red Letter Day (8-6) in rear, Manchester, November (1m.).
224 ELLENBOROUGH—Carried 8-9 when 4th to Rivalry (8-3), Goodwood, July (1m.). Carried 7-2 when beaten neck by Hill Cat (7-10), Newmarket, July (1m.). See Grand Salute.
000 BREADCRUMB—Carried 8-11 when unplaced to Claudine (7-11), Warwick, November (1¼m.).
1 GO EASY—Carried 6-10 when winning head, 3l., from Tantine (7-8) and Parthenon (6-13), with Witticism (7-2) 4th, and Philippos (6-0) 6th, Liverpool, November (1m.).
340 WITTICISM—See Knight of the Vale and Go Easy.
21 KENWYN—Carried 9-1 when winning 1l., 3l., from Happy Note (9-1) and Gold Seal (9-1), Derby, November (7f.).
411 OLD RILEY—Carried 8-9 when winning ½l., ½l., from Firdaussi (8-13) and The Divot (8-9), Hurst, November (6f.). Carried 8-12 when winning 4l., head, from Hardy (8-10) and Grand Breeze (7-10), Chepstow, October (5f.).
044 JEROME FANDOR—Carried 7-11 when 4th to Cat o' Nine Tails (9-2), Newcastle, October (1m 1f.). Carried 7-12 when 4th to Huron (8-7), Ayr, September (1m. 3f.).
012 BENBURB—Carried 8-2 when beaten head by Pomerellen (7-12), with Knight Error (9-0) neck away 3rd, Manchester, November (6f.). Carried 6-9 when winning ¾l., short head, from Saskatoon (7-3) and Wall Street (7-9), with Ken Hill (8-1) 4th, Liverpool, November (6f.).
040 GHOST TRAIN—Carried 7-13 when 5th to Land o' Burns (7-6), Derby, November (1m.).
031 LADIES' CHAIN—Carried 8-5 when winning ½l., 2l., from Sanity (8-11) and Charlwood (9-0), with Man of Property (8-9) in rear, Warwick, November (1m.).
340 SEASCAPE—See Diolite and Ken Hill.
002 AMOYA—Carried 8-5 when beaten ½l. by Jacques Emile Blanche (8-9), Derby, November (1m.).
030 FRAUDULENT—Carried 9-4 when unplaced to Tetrasel (8-1), Manchester, November (6f.). Carried 12-1 when beaten 3l. by Everglades (10-11), Thirsk, October (1m.).
404 MANBO—Carried 7-8 when 4th to Wild Son (8-11), with Marten's Tower (7-5) in rear, Hurst, November (7f.).
000 MAN OF PROPERTY—See Ladies' Chain.
000 DOOLEY—Carried 7-13 when 5th to Clear Cash (8-10), Worcester, November (1¼m.).
100 MARTEN'S TOWER—See Manbo.
304 PHILIPPOS—Carried 8-8 when 4th to Lion d'Angers (7-9), Derby, November (1m.). See Go Easy.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Lincolnshire Handicap—Trinidad, at 9 a.m. Saturday.
Newbury Spring Cup—Alluvia, at 10 p.m., Friday.

LINCOLN MEETING.

Canwick Maiden Plate—Brilliant.
Elsham Handicap—Stephenson.
Brocklesby Stakes — Sixth Former, Pamphlet, Flodden, La Neuvaine filly, Brown Princess filly, Hesperia colt, London Fog and Malacca.
Lincoln Plate—Elastic Love, Koh-i-Noor, Bansha.
Tathwell Auction Plate—Cascade colt.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Virginia Steeplechase, Hawthorn Hill—Cubicle.
Eton Optional Selling Hurdle, Hawthorn Hill—Velocity II.
Free Handicap, Newmarket—Denbigh.
Brentford Selling Plate, Kempton Park—Norman Melody.
Malvern Foxhunters' Steeplechase, Colwall Park—Theorem.
All engagements — Meistersinger, Dromkirk (dead).

HUNTING.

WARD UNION HOUNDS.

THE Palmerstown fixture on Saturday was held under quite summer-like conditions. There was very little scent with a deer enlarged on Mr. J. Duffy's farm at Nutstown, and the hunt progressed slowly by Wyestown and the Lousy Bush to Adamstown. They went on by Kane's furze over Garristown Hill and down by Pluckamin into the bog of Garristown, and effected a quick recapture by the village. A second deer, enlarged at Newtown, was hunted at a good pace through Snipestown and over Laurelmount to Borranstown before crossing The Commons and Money Hill to Primatestown, where the second capture was made.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD UNION.

Date—March.	Meet.	Hour.
Wednesday, 16th	10-Mile Bush	1.30
Saturday, 19th	Kilrue	1.30

THE KILDARE.

Date—March.	Meet.	Hour.
To-day	Kildare	11.30
Tuesday, 15th	Killashee	11.30
Thursday, 17th	Ballitore	11. 0
Saturday, 19th	Maynooth	11.30

THE MEATH.

Date—March.	Meet.	Hour.
To-day	Garadice	11.30
Tuesday, 15th	Point-to-Point, Dalystown	
Wednesday, 16th	Dowestown	11.30
Friday, 18th	Flat House	11.30
Saturday, 19th	Slane Village	11.30

COUNTY LIMERICK FOXHOUNDS.—Alteration of Meet—The meet arranged for Wednesday, 16th March, at Castlebewson, is altered to Dromore. At 11.30.

LIMERICK HARRIERS. — March — Thursday, 17th, Rockfield Cross. At 11.30 sharp. (Note change of hour.)

TIPPERARY HOUNDS. — Revised card for March—Thursday, 17th, Ballylusky (12 o'clock); Friday, 18th, Loughryan; Monday, 21st, Bannixtown Gate; Wednesday, 23rd, Ballingarry; Saturday, 26th, Rathronan Gate. At 11.30.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS.

Daily Sketch:—Double — Obliterate and Watchmate.

Lincolnshire Scratching.

Trinidad was scratched from the Lincolnshire Handicap at 9 a.m. on Saturday. His trainer, R. Day, can still be represented by the fancied Lady Marjorie, but his owner, Sir Abe Bailey, is now without a candidate in the race.

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HOCKEY.

IRELAND WELL BEATEN.

ENGLAND'S BRILLIANT PLAY IN FIRST HALF.

By Our Special Correspondent.

ENGLAND .... 3 IRELAND 0

Those who went to Londonbridge road on Saturday to see a hockey classic between England and Ireland must have come away rather disappointed; for the English team was far superior, and had the match won after a quarter of an hour's play, when they were three goals up, and eventually won by the same score. At no period did they look like losing; for the Irish attack was neither good enough nor fast enough to worry really steady defence, while the halves had their hands full in watching the English forwards. The greater speed, cleverer stick-work and perfect combination of the visiting forwards sums up the difference between the sides. By comparison, our line suffered badly. The wings were completely shut out by the opposing halves; V. Sully was too slow to ever get past Fison, and to complete a doleful tale, Cook, perhaps on account of the strength of the opposition, has never appeared so ineffective in an international match. Lee was too often out of position to be altogether successful, but he and Cook were the best of the line. He was too frequently caught tackling back when he should have been up with the other forwards, and he might have fed the centre of the field more often than his wing near the English circle.

A GREAT TEAM.

Personally, I have never seen a finer English team, and I do not suppose that many people on the ground could recall a better one. It was so well-balanced, with not a weak spot anywhere. In the first twenty minutes, the stick-work, dribbling and combination of the forwards was amazing. Perfect was the genius of the line, and had the defence puzzled almost every time he got the ball. The speed and dash of Milford and Dashwood made them always likely scorers, while Stowell was there to take advantage of any openings. Ogilvy was speedy and sent across dangerous centres, but he was the least effective of the line; for he was inclined to dribble too much. I think the English halves and backs made an error of judgment in not feeding their right wing, instead of the left, in the second half. Dashwood and Perfect were always more dangerous than Stowell and Ogilvy.

ROWAN THE BEST HALF.

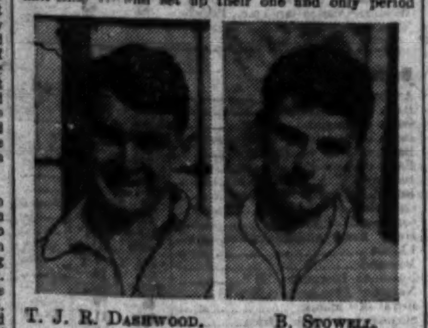
Although all three were brilliant, the best of the halves was Rowan, whose stopping of any sort of pass, whether hit or pushed, was unfailingly accurate. Both he and Waydelin, who was very nearly as good, played mostly on the defensive, but they almost entirely shut out McVeagh and Brown. If Fison was not the dominating figure he was at Birmingham last year, he was nevertheless exceptionally good, and was able to make plenty of openings in attack, as well as reducing V. Sully to impotence.

The same story may be told of the backs, whose stopping and quick, hard clearances never gave the opposing forwards any chance. Rigby was rather the better of the two, but Scott-Freeman, lying well up the field, seldom let Cook get past him. Wolfenden had an easy afternoon, but made two or three good saves and one lucky one.

Considering the gruelling they got at the start, the Irish defence came through with flying colours. Coates was superb in goal, and, if he did make one mistake, he offset it with some marvellous saves. As in the Welsh match, Dick and Phillips proved themselves a grand pair of backs. Whether up the field or in his own circle, Dick always seemed to be in the right place, and Phillips again demonstrated the accuracy of his last-minute tackling. For the second match in succession MacDonald was the best of the halves, but Ely was at his best in the second half, after a slow start. The pace at the start proved too much for Peatt, and Ogilvy was too fast for him all through.

THE PLAY.

I have seldom seen a match open at such a cracking pace. England crowded on all speed, with the result that on a fast and level ground play was comparatively quiet in the second half. Coates was called on to make four saves from the inside forwards in the first minute, and after ten minutes of intensive attack England went ahead. Perfect started one of his fast dribbles at the 25 line, and, working into the circle, drew the whole defence before sending back to Stowell. The latter had time to stop and look around, and he placed the ball well out of Coates's reach. A minute later, after combined play by Perfect and Milford, Stowell sent in a push shot from close in which bounced awkwardly as Coates kicked at it and missed. Five minutes later Dashwood cut in from the right and beat Coates with a hard drive. There the scoring finished, but just before half-time Ireland set up their one and only period



T. J. R. DASHWOOD. B. STOWELL.

of dangerous attack. Cook was twice stopped by Scott-Freeman when about to shoot; Rigby saved a long-corner drive of Sully's, and Wolfender very luckily diverted a shot of Sully's with his stick when he appeared to be beaten. Long runs by Ogilvey and Stowell enlivened the second half, but Dick and Phillips proved too good for them, and, at the other end, a couple of efforts by Lee was Ireland's only reply. Teams:—

Ireland—E. Coates (Holywood); W. M. Dick (Cliftonville), A. E. Phillips (Navy); J. N. Peatt (Hereford), T. H. Ely (Army), J. MacDonald (North Down); W. Brown (Mid-Surrey), W. G. Lee (Dublin University), V. G. Sully (Railway Union), C. W. Cook (Army), T. G. McVeagh (Dublin University).

England—J. F. Wolfenden (South); R. Scott-Freeman (South), J. A. Rigby (West); J. K. Waydelin (Midlands), R. Y. Fison (East), T. L. Rowan (East); T. J. R. Dashwood (South), R. Perfect (South), D. S. Milford (West), B. Stowell (North), A. D. Ogilvy (South).

Umpires—Messrs. MacKenzie Booth (Scotland) and Binney (Wales).

IRISH TEAM TO MEET SCOTLAND.

The Irish XI. to play Scotland at Paisley on Saturday, March 26, is as follows:—

Goal—E. Coates (Holywood).

Full-backs—W. M. Dick (Cliftonville) (capt.), A. E. Phillips (Royal Navy).

Half-backs—D. J. Coulson (Avoca School), T. H. Ely (Army), J. Macdonald (North Down).

Forwards—G. N. Clarke (Antrim), W. G. Lee (Dublin University), W. J. P. MacDonogh (Cliftonville), W. C. Cook (Army), T. G. McVeagh (Dublin University).

The side differs in three instances from that beaten by England last Saturday. Coulson replaces J. N. Peatt at right-half, Clarke comes on for W. A. Brown at right wing, and MacDonogh comes in at centre forward for V. Sully. Coulson and Clarke are new caps.

A FINE SCHOOLS' TEAM.

MUNSTER OUTPLAY LEINSTER.

MUNSTER SCHOOLS 6 LEINSTER SCHOOLS 2

The presence on the Munster side of R. Power, the centre-half for the Irish XI. in the final trial this season, practically assured the visiting team of victory over the Leinster Schools at Claremont road yesterday morning. Power started quietly, but subsequently he so dominated play in the centre of the field that he was able to keep his forwards well supplied with the ball.

Leinster had a piece of very bad luck when Lee, their outside-right, had to leave the field with a facial injury a quarter of an hour after the start, and for the rest of the match Leinster played ten men. Even had they their full side for the whole match, they would hardly have won, but they would have made the issue closer. Munster won 6-2, and man for man their stick-work was cleverer, and their forwards had more dash and shot at every opportunity.

Both their wings were good, while H. Packham was a capital centre-forward. Power held up the Leinster attack in the centre of the field, and he was supported by two capital wing halves in Lush and Carpenter. The defence was very sound all through.

Considering that they were practically over-run in the second half, the Leinster defence played very well. Sansom might have saved one or two of the goals and lacked decision in coming out, but he made several brilliant saves, and both Craig and Fisher tackled and cleared well. The wing halves worked hard, but were outplayed in the second half, and Rogan was never a match for H. Packham. As long as Lee was on the field the attack was dangerous, but subsequently they could only progress by individual efforts. They all worked hard, but, lacking support from their halves, they had not many scoring chances.

H. Packham, S. Howe and O'Connor netted for Munster in the first half, and just before he was injured Lee got a good goal for Leinster. H. Packham (2) and de Lacy were Munster's scorers in the second half, and Sweetnam got a brilliant goal for Leinster. Teams:—

Munster Schools—R. Howe; Mathson, Begley; Lush, Power, Carpenter; de Lacy, A. Packham, H. Packham, S. F. Howe, O'Connor.

Leinster—C. N. Sansom; J. B. Fisher, J. K. Craig; P. D. Prentice, A. W. Rogan, M. C. Brough; W. Lee, F. G. Millar, J. A. MacDonogh, S. F. Sweetnam, N. E. Andrews.

LEINSTER JUNIORS LUCKY.

MUNSTER'S STRONG SECOND HALF BID.

LEINSTER .... 2 MUNSTER 1

After leading by two goals to nil at one period in the first half, Leinster just managed to defeat Munster by the odd goal in three at Claremont road on Saturday morning. The visitors took a considerable time to settle down, but in the second half their unorthodox methods of attack had the Leinster defence in difficulties, and on the whole they were unlucky to be beaten.

For the winners Howe was a dashing leader, but, with the exception of Hoey, he got poor support in attack. Peatt was easily the best half-back, while Doran and Morgan were most prominent in defence. On the Munster side Champion, Connell, McBride and Kelleher showed up well.

Shortly after the start Knight scored for Leinster, and just before the interval Howe added a second. In the second half, however, the Munster forwards had more chances, and eventually Kelleher scored.

Leinster Juniors—C. D. Morgan (Dublin University); J. H. Doran (Railway Union), W. Broad (Railway Union); C. Johnson (Railway Union), C. Peatt (Pembroke Wanderers), R. D. Beadie (Pembroke Wanderers); H. C. Fitzherbert (Three Rock Rovers), A. Knight (Railway Union), J. M. Howe (Dublin University), W. Hoey (Imperial Tobacco Co.), S. Cheetham (Kingstown Grammar School).

Munster Juniors—R. Jupe (Dalcassians); P. Champion (Rathbane), T. Stewart (Wanderers); J. Hurley (Rathbane), E. Connell (Old Cork Grammarians), S. Mahony (Maryville); J. Donovan (Wanderers), G. McBride (Old Grammarians), D. Kelleher (Lyceum), J. Cullen (Wanderers), N. Baker (Wanderers).

SENIOR LEAGUE.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY 4 DALKEY 0

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Junior Schools Cup Final—Avoca School v. Kilkenny College, Londonbridge road, 2.45.

Banks Cup—National Bank v. Munster and Leinster, Kimmage, 4.30.

Avoca School—V. Swale; O. Fry, W. Kinghan; D. D. Beckett, T. P. Williams (capt.), W. Matheson; R. Matheson, J. G. Henderson, R. Fry, P. Kennedy, B. Mitchell.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

SENIOR CUP FOR BRAY COLLEGE.

PRESENTATION COLLEGE (BRAY) 6
DOMINICAN COLLEGE (NEWBRIDGE) 4

The final of the Senior Schools' Cup at Lansdowne road on Saturday provided a very keen and exciting game. The teams, Presentation College, Bray, and Dominican College, Newbridge, are comparatively new to the competition, and neither had ever been in the final before. Presentation won by a penalty goal and one try to one dropped goal, but they were fully extended to do so, and one must extend sympathy to the Newbridge boys, who put up such a great fight, and were only beaten in the last five minutes of the play.

The winners were undoubtedly the cleverer side, and their backs handled very smartly, but the Newbridge forwards were a sturdy lot, and they held play for the greater portion of the time in the Presentation half. Bray were the first to score. The try-getter was Murphy, who got possession as the outcome of a good cut-through by Bailey. A little later Newbridge took the lead, when J. Waters, fielding a kick, steadied himself, and dropped a splendid goal.

The second half was contested at a very fast rate. Newbridge had much the better of the play, and for a long time the Bray boys were kept busy defending. The Newbridge backs got many chances, but were unable to avail of them, and nearing the end Bray got down. They were awarded a free near the half-way line, and Bailey, taking the kick, landed a wonderful goal.

A. Bailey was outstanding on the Presentation side. His kicking was of great service, and he cut through several times in fine style. Murphy and Doyle were both very good in the three-quarter line, and McCall was quite safe at full-back. The best of the forwards, who packed 3-4-1, were Cassel, Balfe and Casey. On the Newbridge side, Waters played a splendid game in the last line of defence, and his dropped goal was a very fine effort. The backs handled poorly, MacNamara, Kenny and Lett being the best. The forwards all played splendidly, and none were more prominent than McDermott, Fitzgerald and Manning. Teams:—

Presentation College—McCall; Cruise, Doyle, Murphy, McQuillan; Bailey, Griffin; Balfe, O'Brien, Casey, Murphy, Cassells, Mooney, O'Reilly, Murray.

Dominican College—Waters; McNamara, Ryan, Dwyer, Kenny; Lett, Griffin; O'Kennedy, McDermott, Manning, Fitzgerald, Griffin, Hutchinson, Canty, Waters.

Referee—Mr. W. L. Freeman.

RECENT WINNERS.

1918-19—Blackrock.	1925-26—Clongowes.
1919-20—Castleknock.	1926-27—Blackrock.
1920-21—St. Andrew's.	1927-28—Blackrock.
1921-22—St. Andrew's.	1928-29—Blackrock.
1922-23—Belvedere.	1929-30—Blackrock.
1923-24—Belvedere.	1930-31—Castleknock.
1924-25—Blackrock.	

METROPOLITAN CUP SEMI-FINAL.

	Pts.		Pts.
Monkstown 2nd	14	College of Surgeons	4
Univ. Coll. 2nd	11	Lansdowne 2nd	6

PROVINCIAL TOWNS CUP.

Curragh	3	Athy	0

JUNIOR CLUB GAMES.

Wanderers 2nd	16	Clontarf 2nd	0
C.Y.M.S.	21	R.S.P.U.	5
Bective Rangers 2nd	16	Dublin Univ. 2nd	13

ULSTER CLUB MATCHES.

Bangor	14	Collegians	6
North of Ireland	8	Knock	0

ULSTER TOWNS CUP SEMI-FINAL.

Coleraine (holders)	13	Dungannon	0
Ballymena	23	Armagh	6

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A LUCKY VICTORY FOR MONKSTOWN.

MONKSTOWN......... 6 PALMERSTON......... 3

Monkstown defeated Palmerston, at Clonskeagh, by 2 tries to a penalty goal, after a hard-fought match, and were very lucky to gain the victory.

Palmerston had a good deal the better of the play and should have scored three tries in the first half. On one occasion Naismith got over, but lost the ball, and several times the forwards were only held up on the line. They were unlucky, too, to lose Cobbe, who was injured in the first half.

Williams gave a fine display as full for Monkstown, and Arigho, Wall and Donovan were also good among the backs, Mulhern, Hooper and Tighe being the best of the forwards. Johnstone, Bell, and Dowds were the pick of the Palmerston backs, Dowds cutting through smartly on several occasions, and Kirwan, Kenna and Mullins were always prominent in a fine pack.

Palmerston pressed hotly at the start, but at length Murray and Wall broke away, and Wall scored a try, which was not converted. Dowds equalised with a penalty goal. Nearing the end Tighe crossed for Monkstown, Shackleton failing with the kick. Teams:—

Palmerston—R. B. Cobbe; J. Naismith, F. Dowds, R. Dick, R. Bell; S. Johnstone, R. Walsh; C. Kirwan, C. Kenna, J. Wilson, W. Mahony, J. Thompson, W. Jackson, J. Mullins, D. Hudson.

Monkstown—M. B. Williams; J. D. Salmon, H. Arigho, E. D. Buckley, A. J. Donovan; T. H. Wall, T. C. Williams; E. S. Mulhern, R. Shackleton, J. J. Hooper, A. N. Murray, F. Callow, H. V. Tighe, F. Guy, A. N. Berkley.

Referee—J. H. Hopkins.

BECTIVE PULL GAME OUT OF THE FIRE.

BECTIVE R. .... 5 CLONTARF 7

Clontarf had to find substitutes for Moran, Mullally, Lyons, Mooney and Callaghan at Castle avenue on Saturday, yet they ran the Rangers to a close finish, and were only beaten by two points—a penalty goal and two tries to a dropped goal and a penalty goal.

Clontarf attacked early, and Headon dropped a good goal. Five minutes later Delaney scored far out for Bective, Carroll's kick failing, and Clontarf were a point to the good at the interval. Early in the second half Langan put them further ahead with a good penalty, and half-way in the period Bailey got over for Bective, Carroll's kick just swerving wide. It was only in the closing stages that Rangers took the upper hand, and five minutes from the end Delaney gave them a win with a penalty goal.

McCartan played a sound game for Bective at back, Delaney and Duggan were enterprising three-quarters, Des. O'Connor was a good out-half, but Fitzsimons seemed to be off colour, and Carroll, Little, McMurrough and Sheehan were the best of the pack. Langan was reliable as usual at back for Clontarf. Byrne and Trench did well in the three-quarter line, Headon and Smith worked well together at half, and Cavanagh, Ryan, Roche and Murphy were the best of the forwards.

Teams:—

Clontarf—D. J. Langan; A. D. A. Browne, O. G. Giddings, L. Byrne, M. F. Trench; M. F. Headon, R. Smith; J. P. Cavanagh, W. D. Ryan, E. Craigie, O'S. Roche, T. D. Murphy, O. L. Mahony, J. V. Glass, A. Blyth.

Bective Rangers—R. F. McCartan; D. J. O'Connor, J. A. Delaney, P. Bailey, R. G. Duggan; J. J. Fitzsimons, D. J. O'Connor; C. Carroll, J. C. J. Lawlor, T. J. Little, M. A. McAllister, J. C. McGrath, J. A. McMorrough, J. J. Sheehan, A. Wade.

Referee—Mr. J. L. O'Loughlin.

GREAT IRISH FORWARDS.

PACK LAYS THE FOUNDATION OF SUCCESS AT CARDIFF.

IRELAND .... 12 WALES 10

By Our Special Correspondent.

There have been many thrilling matches between Wales and Ireland, but none that I can remember any more exciting than the game at Cardiff on Saturday, which Ireland won by four tries to a dropped goal and two tries.

All Wales, at least as many Welshmen and women as could find accommodation in the ground, had come to the Cardiff Arms Park to see Wales win the triple crown, and their hopes were dashed to the ground just as ruthlessly as were those of Ireland at Belfast last year and at Swansea two years ago. The ground is stated to be capable of accommodating 55,000 people, and since there were some three or four thousand disappointed folk who could not get in, and had to content themselves with walking around outside the ground, picking up what scraps of information they could of what was transpiring inside, there must have been this number in the enclosure when, after the usual excellent community singing, the teams took the field.

IRELAND THE BETTER SIDE.

It was a match which by reason of the fluctuating nature of the scoring will long be remembered. Everything was in favour of a fast and genuine test between the two teams: a dry ground and neither wind nor rain to introduce any element of fluke into the play. Wales had to face a rather glaring sun in the first half, which, no doubt, was a handicap to their backs, but the sun was still there when Ireland took up the same end of the ground after half time, and it was then an even greater cause of trouble to the players facing it. At all stages of the game Ireland was just slightly the superior side. The methods of their forwards and backs were always suggesting the greater likelihood of something tangible in the nature of scores coming from their plans. Wales, I thought, suffered and possibly lost their chance of the triple crown by over-keenness and anxiety. It was quite apparent that every man of the fifteen was obsessed with the importance of the occasion, and they were all straining themselves to such an extent that errors were made which would not have occurred had they not treated the game so seriously.

The really satisfactory matter from the Irish standpoint is the fact that our pack more than held the Welsh eight in every phase of forward play. The groundwork for the fine victory of the side was made by the forwards. They scrummaged better than the Welsh eight, they held their own in the line out from touch, and they were better in the loose play. The outcome was that our backs got more than their usual share of chances, and they made every use of them, for, although two of the scores were got by a forward—Ross, to wit—it was actually back movements which brought about the tries.

A MEMORABLE MATCH.

Looking back over the season's games one cannot but come to the conclusion that Ireland is particularly unlucky not to have achieved triple crown and championship honours. The worst team that met Ireland this season was England, and it was England alone of the home countries that beat us. As stated, last Saturday's match will be regarded as a memorable one. There were men playing on both sides who will possibly not be seen in international games again. John Bassett, the great Welsh full back, is

S. L. WAIDE. G. R. BEAMISH.

one. He did not play up to anything like his usual form. His fielding was of the usual safe order, but his kicking sadly lacked the length he once possessed, while his attempt to get to grips with Waide when the Irish wing scored his remarkable try was very feeble. W. C. Powell is another who has nearly come to the end of his international days. He was no match for P. Murray on Saturday, and this despite the fact that he had two such men as A. Lennon and W. Davies as flank men in the back row of the scrimmage. These two Welsh wing forwards were, on the whole, rather disappointing, though they did to an extent prevent the Murray-Davy combination from working in the way we would like to see. It was remarkable that in a match in which the Irish backs generally showed up so well that Murray and Davy should have played with such little understanding. Individually both played well. Davy's kicking was of great help to his side, and the move he made which gave Ross the chance to get Ireland's first score was really clever. Murray, too, paved the way for a score, the second, gained by Ross; but the outstanding try of the match was the one scored by Waide in the second half. Just as the Welsh supporters were cheering Morley on to take a chance of a likely Welsh score, Waide got a lucky bounce of the ball, and, side-stepping Bassett with the greatest ease, he completed a run of over three-quarters the length of the ground by scoring a try.

HUNT'S BAD LUCK.

Hunt should also have been credited with a try, but, after making one of his characteristic runs, he lost the ball out of his hands when the line was crossed. The play of Hunt and Waide in this match and at Edinburgh is very encouraging for the future. Both played well up to their Edinburgh form, and we will likely see better things from them later on. Lightfoot, who is the only Irish three-quarter to play in all four international games this season, again proved himself a sound player, and he was particularly serviceable when coming across the field to tackle the wing he was not marking. M. Crowe again was the most disappointing of the three-quarters, but he did some sound tackling. Ridgeway came through his second international game in better style than his first, but he has yet a good deal to learn before being regarded as a permanent successor of W. E. Crawford. He is a trifle too casual in his methods. Luck was with him a couple of times in this match. Too much praise could not be given to the Irish forwards, of whom Beamish and Murphy were outstanding. I thought it was Murphy's best international game. Ross, Siggins and Farrell were also very prominent, and Dunne, Fike and Hanrahan played well up to the high standard set by the others.

WELSH BACKS DISAPPOINTING.

As mentioned, the great John Bassett was disappointing. He, like the others, suffered from that over-keenness I have mentioned. The match was generally regarded as his last international, and it would have been a great finish to such a football career to captain the Welsh side to Triple Crown and Championship honours. Of the Welsh three-quarters, Claude Davey was the most enterprising, but both he and Williams struck me as being too anxious to get rid of the ball. Boon did not get many chances to show his undoubted speed. Ralph was the best of all the Welsh backs, and his try just at the end of the game was a splendid effort. The best forwards were Skym, Jenkyns, Watcyn Thomas and Day. Mr. Holmes was a very capable referee, who did not unduly hold up the game with his whistle.

THE GAME DESCRIBED: WAIDE'S GREAT TRY.

S. L. Waide securing the ball to make a spectacular dash down the field before scoring a try for Ireland.

The game had been only two minutes in progress when Wales had a chance of taking the lead. Both Murray and Davy got offside when the Welsh forwards got the ball in a scrummage, and the ball was placed in a fairly easy position for Bassett, but the Welsh captain missed the kick at goal. Ireland were in difficulties again shortly afterwards, but Waide, fielding the ball from a cross-kick by Boon on the Irish line put in a strong run before punting over Bassett's head, and had he got a favourable bounce of the ball there was a possibility of his getting a try. As it was, Bassett cleared to touch, but Ireland now pressed strongly, and the forwards, breaking through, Beamish was held up a couple of feet from the Welsh line. The Irish forwards were putting great dash into their play and carrying most of the scrummages, but, thanks to the attention of Lemon and Davies, Murray found it difficult to get away the ball to Davy. Eventually the ball came in the loose to Davy, who, after making a great cut through, was in a position to pass to Lightfoot, but, fearing it would be a forward pass, he pulled up and waited for Ross, who came up just in time to take the pass and cross for a try. The score came ten minutes after the kick-off. Murray made a poor attempt at converting, and on resuming the Welsh forwards, with T. Day and Watcyn Thomas as leaders put in some grand loose play. Then the Welsh backs got moving from a scrimmage. Powell gave a pass along the ground to Ralph, and after Davy had nearly brought off an intercept—which would have allowed him clear away—Ralph got possession, and immediately opened out the game for his centres. Williams quickly transferred on to Claude Davey, who with Morley supporting him on the right, elected to go in himself, and did so with the greatest ease. Bassett failed with a difficult attempt to goal, and after a quarter of an hour's play each side had scored a try.

FINE IRISH FORWARD PLAY.

The play of the Irish forwards was surprising to everyone, for instead of being subdued they continued to hold the upper hand over the Welshmen, both in the tight and loose play. Murphy was very prominent at this stage, and once was nearly through when Bassett effected a clever save. Davy kept putting in short punts ahead, from one of which Hunt got possession, and after eluding Bassett cleverly and crossing the Welsh line unfortunately let the ball fall out of his hands before he could ground it. This was a disappointing affair, and enough to dishearten a side; but Ireland came back to the attack again with renewed vigour. Hunt and Murphy came tearing after a kick and bottled up Bassett between them, but the Welsh full-back wriggled clear and got in his kick to touch. An injury to his face caused Davy to rest for a minute or so, but he was soon in the thick of the fray again. Lightfoot got in a quick tackle of Boon, and taking the ball from him started the Irish forwards in a loose rush, which looked like developing well until offside spoiled. It was strange that, while the Irish forwards were doing such good work the Murray-Davy combination was not working too well behind the scrimmage. Sometimes Murray was at fault in the direction of his passes, and other times Davy badly fumbled easy transfers. Still, it was Ireland's game, and they were unlucky not to be in the lead instead of only on level terms when the interval arrived.

IRELAND TAKE THE LEAD AGAIN.

Facing the sun in the second half the Irish backs were tested with frequent high kicks, and Ridgeway once got himself into trouble by carrying the ball over the line. He worked round, however, and put in a fine kick to touch at the Irish '25 line. The Welsh backs were now inclined more for kicking than attempting passing movements, and an exchange between Murray and Bassett went in favour of the Irishman. Seven minutes of this half only had elapsed when Ireland went ahead again, Murray getting an opening cut in between Ralph and Williams and shot out a pass to Ross, who went over for his second try just as he was brought down by Bassett.

The Welsh forwards, now playing desperately, bore down on the Irish line repeatedly, but off-side pulled them up. Later another great rush by the Welsh forwards carried the ball over the line, but Dai Thomas was deprived of the ball before he could ground it.

At this stage the match was turning in Wales' favour, and Boon spoiled a grand chance of scoring when he passed to Williams instead of going on himself. Next Morley was prominent in a great solo move, but his return pass to Claude Davey was pounced upon by Hunt. A mighty cheer greeted the next piece of play. Powell whipped the ball away from a scrimmage to Ralph, who, like a flash, put in a left-footed drop kick, which sent the ball just over the crossbar. Wales now held a lead of one point after twenty minutes' play in the second half. Hunt and Waide next got moving, and brought play to the Welsh 25. Davy here got a chance to drop a goal, but his attempt was a poor one. However, it proved a lucky move, for with Bassett and Williams each leaving the catch to the other, the opportunist, Lightfoot, raced up to gather, and go over for a clever try. Murray now made his best attempt at converting a try, but had the bad luck of seeing the ball rebound off the near upright.

WAIDE'S GREAT TRY.

Hardly had the cheers for Lightfoot's try died away than another exceptionally exciting piece of play occurred, which brought further points to Ireland's total in rather remarkable fashion. Ridgeway was forced to run over the Irish line to clear, and when his rather short kick failed to reach touch it looked odds on Morley getting possession, and probably crossing the Irish line. Morley over-ran the ball, and Waide darting in took it up, and when meeting Bassett half-way down the field simply romped round him, and then went for the remainder of the journey, shaking off W. Davies, who was pursuing, and scoring a try far out, in much the same place as Arigho scored his great try four years previously. Murray again missed the kick, but Ireland was in the fairly safe position of leading by twelve points to seven with barely ten minutes remaining. After this further set-back the Welsh backs rose to their best play of the match. Davey made a fine opening for Morley, but the latter ran with but little determination, and was soon brought down. The best that Wales could hope for now as the minutes sped by was a converted try, which would enable the side to make a draw, and they went a long way towards achieving this. The Welsh backs got moving, and Ralph, after being early in the picture, got possession again, and racing through in determined style he neglected his wing, and crossed in rather favourable position for John Bassett to add the two points which would save the match for Wales. Bassett failed and Ireland won, and deserved to do so, by twelve points to ten. Teams:—

Ireland—E. C. Ridgeway (Wanderers); S. L. Waide (North of Ireland), E. F. de V. Hunt (Wanderers and Army), M. P. Crowe (Lansdowne), E. Lightfoot (Lansdowne); E. O'D. Davy (Lansdowne), P. F. Murray (Wanderers); G. R. Beamish (capt.) (London Irish and R.A.F.), M. J. Dunne (Lansdowne), J. L. Farrell (Bective Rangers), N. Murphy (Cork Constitution), Rev. V. J. Pike (Lansdowne), W. McC. Ross (Queen's University), J. A. Siggins (Collegians), C. F. Hanrahan (Dolphin).

Wales—J. Bassett (Penarth); R. W. Boon (Cardiff), F. L. Williams (Cardiff), C. Davey (Swansea), J. C. Morley (Newport); A. R. Ralph (Newport), W. C. Powell (London Welsh); A. Skym (Cardiff), F. A. Bowdler (Cross Keys), T. Day (Swansea), W. Davies (Swansea), A. Lemon (Neath), F. M. Jenkins (Aberavon), D. Thomas (Swansea), W. Thomas (Swansea).

Referee—Mr. E. Holmes (England).

CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Ireland	3	2	1	0	40	29	4
Wales	3	2	1	0	28	17	4
England	2	1	1	0	16	20	2
Scotland	2	0	2	0	8	26	0

(F. and A. under "Points.")

BROWN, FULL-BACK FOR ENGLAND.

T. W. Brown (Bristol) has been selected to fill the full-back position left vacant in the England XV. to meet Scotland at Twickenham on Saturday next.

Associated for some years with the West Country Club, Brown has been capped five times previously. In 1929 he played against Scotland, Ireland, Wales and France, but then a serious injury kept him out of the game for a considerable period. Since his recovery, however, Brown has displayed all his old form.

CORK SENIOR SCHOOLS' CUP FINAL.

Presentation College, 6; Christian College, 0.

RUGBY NOTES.—From all quarters and reports of all important matches appear in "THE IRISH FIELD." Published every Saturday. Price 2d. Ireland's prospects against Wales in to-morrow's issue.

G. J. YOUNG WINS MATCH FOR OLD WESLEY.

OLD WESLEY..... 12 DUBLIN UNIVERSITY 0

Teams which included a good many reserves played bright football at Donnybrook on Saturday, when Old Wesley defeated Dublin University by a goal from a try, a dropped goal and a penalty goal to nothing.

The Old Wesley out-half, G. J. Young, who for many years has been the outstanding player on the side, excelled himself, and was responsible for all the score. A good individual effort enabled him to get a try and convert it immediately before half-time, and in the second period he cleverly dropped a goal, and later kicked a penalty goal. Well served by Hobson, a clever scrum-half, he was good in every phase; Prescott and Hanna were the best of a sound three-quarter line; Walker kicked a good length at full-back, and in excellent pack Maher, Fitzpatrick and Ingram were prominent. Graham, Kingston and O'Driscoll were seen to advantage among the University forwards; Cussen was clever and enterprising at fly-half; McNeice made good use of his pace at wing three-quarter, and Mullaney gave a brilliant display at full-back.

Teams:—

Old Wesley—D. G. Walker; H. Good, P. M. Hanna, S. A. McIlwaine, W. R. Prescott; G. J. Young, K. Hobson; J. D. Seymour, D. C. Fitzpatrick, A. W. Ingram, F. Sterne, H. Woods, W. G. Taylor, M. J. Maher, H. B. Bulmer.

Dublin University—P. J. Mullaney; J. F. McNeice, E. F. Odbert, J. W. Wellwood, N. Tindall; M. E. Cussen, H. D. Clarke; T. Horan, D. L. Graham, L. W. McCaughey, D. Kingston, G. B. Hicks, B. P. Berney, G. V. O'Driscoll, G. B. Jackson.

Referee—Mr. T. Bell.

WEAK LANSDOWNE SIDE WELL BEATEN.

BLACKROCK COLLEGE 13 LANSDOWNE ... 3

Lansdowne only had a skeleton of their usual side to oppose Blackrock at Lansdowne road, and they were well beaten by two goals and one try to one try.

Lansdowne had somewhat the better of the opening half, and midway through McEnery scored a try which he failed to convert. This was all the scoring up to the interval, but in the second half Blackrock monopolised the play, and tries were registered by Burns, Vaughan and Healy, two of which P. Crowe converted.

The last-named player was the outstanding back on the winning side. He cut through several times in brilliant fashion, and was a big factor in the success. Healy ran in determined fashion on the right wing. Langan was clever at half-back, and Farrell kicked and tackled well in the last line of defence. A sturdy pack of forwards was best represented by Burns, Vaughan, O'Reilly and Costelloe.

On the Lansdowne side Robertson was only moderate at full-back. Powell and Oakes were the best of the three-quarters. Burney made a clever scrum half, and M. Powell, Thompson and Anderson were the most noticeable forwards. The teams were:—

Lansdowne—Robertson; W. J. Powell, Oakes, Fox, D'Alton; Burney, Moran; Bardon, Traynor, Anderson, Hanlon, M. Powell, Thompson, McEnery, Jones.

Blackrock College—Farrall; Scott, Scally, Crowe, Healy; Flynn, Langan; Burns, Costelloe, Heffernan, Westby, Vaughan, O'Reilly, McCorry, French.

Referee—Mr. C. P. Stuart.

INJURY TO REV. V. J. PIKE.

In the last minute of the International match at Cardiff Rev. V. J. Pike, when making a dive to tackle R. Ralph, who scored the Welsh try, struck his head against the hard ground, and was for a time knocked out. The injury turned out not to be serious, and he was all right again in the evening.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

CONFERENCE COLLAPSE.

FREE STATE REFUSED SEAT ON THE INTERNATIONAL BOARD.

By Our Special Correspondent.

The peace conference between the representatives of the Irish Football Association and the Football Association of the Irish Free State, which was resumed at Belfast last Saturday, broke down. It is true that the delegates have to report to their respective councils, but it may be regarded as certain that the Council of the I.F.A. will approve the stand taken by its delegation, which was invested with full Council powers, and that the two Associations are in exactly the same position as when the conference opened in Dublin.

The cause of the collapse was the point-blank refusal of the I.F.A. delegates to agree to the Free State body having equal representation on the International Board. Early in the proceedings, which lasted four hours and a half, the Free State representatives were offered an agreement, which, however, contained no reference to representation on the International Board. The terms of it, it transpires, they were prepared to accept as a basis of agreement, provided their Association was granted equal representation on the International Board. They were prepared to concede equal rights in the control of matches with Continental countries played in the name of Ireland and equal representation on the Federation Internationale de Football Association to the Irish Football Association.

When the Free State delegates raised the question of the International Board, they were asked why it was not raised at the conference in Dublin, and they gave as their reason for not doing so that, as the international agreement was to be on a fifty-fifty basis, that basis was to hold good in everything appertaining to international football.

Captain Wilton warmly replied that they (I.F.A.) were offering the Free State Association the proposed Control Board, and further than that they were not going. He suggested to the Southern delegates that they should "get out and consider it."

"A GLORIFIED PICNIC PARTY."

The suggestion was not acted on and the debate proceeded. In the course of the discussion one Belfastman alluded to the International Board as a glorified picnic party. The I.F.A. delegates argued that the reason they would not give the Free State Association representation on the International Board was because they were already members of the Federation which had a seat on the Board, and, therefore, they could not be entitled to two seats.

That argument was countered by a Free State representative pointing out that before the I.F.A. withdrew from the Federation each country had a seat on the International Board and was also indirectly represented through the Federation.

When pressed for a stronger reason for refusing to agree to the F.S. Association having equal representation on the Board, an I.F.A. spokesman pointed out that "the Free Staters wanted to be either a Dominion or a Republic," and that was the reason they (the I.F.A.) would not agree.

The position, therefore, would seem to be that the Irish Football Association, while willing to agree to the formation of an Irish International Control Board, insists on retaining its position as the principal ruling body, with the F.A.I.F.S. occupying a secondary place in Irish football.

I understand that the agreement offered to the Free State Association was:—

(1) That a joint committee be appointed each year, to be composed of five members from each Association, to select players and make arrangements for international matches, the chairman of each Association to act in alternate years and to have a casting vote in case of a tie.

(2) That all profits and losses be equally shared by the two Associations.

(3) That this agreement, together with any details agreed on as necessary to carry it into effect, shall be entered in the rule books of the two Associations.

WATERFORD LACK FINISH.

(BY JAMES FORTUNE.)

DOLPHIN .... 3 WATERFORD 2

The Free State Shield game between Dolphin and Waterford at Harold's Cross on Saturday produced some excellent football, both teams giving a fine exhibition. Dolphin won by 3 goals to 2, but although they were deserving winners because they took their chances better than their opponents, Waterford played the prettier football. In my opinion, too much pattern weaving, with no finish, lost them the game. Dolphin were the inferior side, but goals count, and they got one more than their opponents.

Dolphin were the first to make headway, but Waterford were very dangerous a moment later. After clever triangular work by Arrigan, Middleton and Crawford, Forster was slow to avail of a great cross from the left winger. In a twinkling Smith centred finely, Lee getting in a great shot, which Harris, in position, gathered well. Dolphin were pressing, and Stevenson headed wide from a good position after Lee had centred. However, he had better luck shortly afterwards, as Paterson hit the bar and Stevenson shot past Harris from the rebound. This score, coming four minutes after the start, looked well for Dolphin, and continuing to press it was only brilliant work by Sampy that saved Waterford's goal. Another score to Dolphin always appeared likely. Stevenson put Dolphin two up when he netted from a melee in front of goal; the inside right took his chance well. Waterford were playing glorious football, but although always interesting to watch, they seldom looked like getting through. Dolphin were more direct in their methods and looked more like adding to their lead. Paterson centred splendidly, and, Smith hooking the ball back, Stevenson almost beat Harris with a great drive. In a Waterford attack O'Brien crossed well, but all the inside forwards were out of position, and the easiest possible chance was thrown away. After Stevenson had failed with a shot, which was only a foot wide, Smith centred for Harris to punch away. Lee lobbing the ball into goal, Arrigan fisted the ball over the bar, with Harris away from his goal. From the penalty spot Paterson shot straight at the goalkeeper, who saved.

HARRIS AT HIS BEST.

On the resumption, Crawford centred well, but Power saved Middleton's header in good style. In a Dolphin raid, after really clever positional play by Lee and Paterson, the outside left shot for Harris to save splendidly, and he repeated the performance a minute later when Lee fired in a great shot. Dixon was injured in heading away the ball and left the field, to resume later at outside left, Paterson moving inside, Lee going left half, and Watt taking the centre position. Waterford reduced the lead when Power failed to fist away a centre of O'Brien's, and Middleton put the ball in the net. Crawford was dangerous a few minutes later, and from his cross O'Brien shot well for Power to just gather and clear. In a Dolphin movement Lee sent out to Dixon, and the latter crossed for Shiels to beat Harris from close in with a fine shot. Waterford were not long in reducing the lead, again, as Middleton set in a glorious shot from 20 yards out, which struck Doyle and glanced into the net, and almost in the last minute from a free for hands against Paterson, Crawford compelled Power to fist over the bar.

For Waterford Harris kept a good goal. Sampy was in great form at full back, and Richardson supported him well. Craig was the best half-back on the field, and Swan and Middleton were the best of a forward line that lacked finish. Power was not too safe in goal for Dolphin. Nisbet and Doyle defended well. Watt was the best of the halves, Dixon and Robinson being also very good. Stevenson was in excellent form, and Smith, Paterson and Lee made up a fine attack. Shiels was not so convincing as the others, for he missed many chances. Teams:—

Dolphin—Power; Nisbet, Doyle; Robinson, Dixon, Watt; Smith, Stevenson, Shiels, Lee, Paterson.

Waterford—Harris; Sampy, Richardson; Arrigan, Craig, Lennon; O'Brien, Swan, Forster, Middleton, Crawford.

BRAY SHARE HONOURS WITH DUNDALK.

BRAY UNKNOWNS ... 3 DUNDALK 3

At Bray yesterday, Buchanan 3 (two penalties) scored for Bray, and Smith (2) and Donnelly (penalty) for Dundalk.

Dundalk were rather unlucky to lose their first point to Bray, as on the general run of a very fast and exciting game they were superior, especially forward. For almost the whole of the opening half the home team were on the defensive, and it was entirely due to the sound work of Preston and Dorward in the half-back line that the scoring was not more pronounced. The visiting defence completely dominated the home forwards, whose occasional efforts were lacking in precision and finish, but in the second period the home team played with more determination. Kelly and Redmond, although robust in their tackling, did not compare well with the visiting full-backs, whose judgment in placing was flawless. At half-back Harrison gave a stylish display, but Preston and Dorward were at all times resourceful and accurate. Dundalk's advantage lay with the forwards. As a line they were methodical, faster and sharper shooters than the home set, of whom Moffatt and Buchanan were the pick.

Bray Unknowns—Leckie; Redmond, Kelly; Dorward, Preston, Kenny; Buchanan, Rigby, Ledwidge, Moffatt, Hannon.

Dundalk—Lewis; Brown, McDiarmid; Patton, Harrison, Reed; Kelly, McCourt, Smith, Hirst, Donnelly.

BRIDEVILLE'S CLEVER PLAY.

SHAMROCK ROVERS 3 BRIDEVILLE......... 3

At Milltown yesterday, Glen (penalty) and Moore (2) for Rovers; Forrest, Bell and Gaskins, for Brideville, were the scorers.

If we had more games of the same standard as was seen here one would not so frequently hear the query, "What is wrong with Free State football?" It was a splendid exhibition match, with plenty of fast play, clever passing, and several well-worked goals. On recent form, Brideville's prospects of a win did not appear bright, but actually they were, if anything, the better team on the day's play, and were unlucky not to have won. That they failed to do so was largely due to a bad mistake by Gaskins. In the second half, and with the score 3-3, Brideville were awarded a penalty. The visitors' centre seemed over confident in taking the kick, and crashed the ball off the crossbar. From that onward Brideville lost their earlier dash and confidence.

Individual honours were carried off by Rovers' centre forward, Moore, who, in addition to two fine goals, was a source of inspiration to his side and a constant worry to the Brideville defence. He was well supported by Flood and Byrne, but neither Smith nor Fullam were at their best.

While the Rovers' forwards were clever in their approach work, they lacked the speed of the Brideville attack, which was well fed by the halves. Both goalkeepers were good, but of the full-backs both Chervi and Bermingham were rather erratic in their kicking and tackling.

Rovers took the lead after nine minutes, when Glen converted a penalty for a foul in Flood, but the next score came to Brideville, who got a second a few minutes later. The vistoris' lead was well deserved, but before half-time Moore headed a brilliant equaliser. Play alternated in the same exciting fashion after the interval, twelve minutes after which Brideville regained the lead only to see Rovers again get on terms through a goal from Moore. When Brideville were awarded the penalty already mentioned they seemed to have the match in their grasp, but after Gaskins had failed Rovers had much the better of matters, and all but got the winning goal.

Shamrock Rovers—McCarthy; Chervi, Daly; Glen, Mathews, Kinsella; Byrne, Flood, Moore, Fullam, Smith.

Brideville—Slater; Redmond, Bermingham; Byrne, Roy, O'Reilly; Forrest, Bell, Gaskins, Reid, Smith.

ST. JAMES'S GATE FORWARDS IN FINE FORM.

ST. JAMES'S GATE 5 DRUMCONDRA 1

At Tolka Park yesterday, Kavanagh (pen.), Sloan 2, T. Murray and Comerford scored for St. James's Gate; Menton for Drumcondra.

The handsome win was well deserved and easily gained. St. James's Gate were on top for most of the game, and from the time they opened the scoring, two minutes from the start, through Kavanagh, they never looked like losing. Their forwards were in fine trim, moving quickly and showing a refreshing accuracy in passing and shooting.

They received excellent support from their half-backs, McKay in particular. The defence left little to cavil with, and Hoey gave an exceptional display. Drumcondra were in arrears of 4-1 at half-time, and restarted without Crofts, who received a face injury by colliding with a partner that kept him out of the game in the second half. His absence made small difference, as Drumcondra were always a listless side.

Drumcondra—Cass; Moore, Dunne; Kavanagh, Maguire, Farrell; Brown, Crofts, Menton, McCarney, Sherwin.

St. James's Gate—O'Reilly; Hoey, Kavanagh; Simpson, McKay, R. Murray; Kennedy, Comerford, Sloan, J. Murray, T. Murray.

BOHEMIANS' NEW CENTRE A COMPLETE SUCCESS.

BOHEMIANS .... 5 JACOBS 1

At Dalymount Park last Saturday. The scorers were:—Ebbs (3), Ellis and McMahon (penalty) for Bohemians, and Hickey for Jacobs.

Bohemians' Committee experimented with the forward line, in which Ebbs was centre and White inside-left, in place of Horlacher. Ebbs was a complete success. He ran through the Jacobs' defence almost at will, and but for the fine goalkeeping of Collins would have doubled his score. White also played well, but showed a tendency to wander into the centre.

It was a moderate-class match, in which the weak opposition of Jacobs never looked like giving trouble. Collins, Ronan and Kelly played well in the Jacobs' defence, and Collins crowned a busy afternoon by saving a penalty from McMahon, who had scored from a similar award in the first half.

Of the visiting forwards, Farrell and Owens were best, but there was no combination, and although Hickey beat Cannon for the visitors' only score in the closing stages, they had sufficient opportunities to score at least twice in the earlier part of the match.

Bohemians started with their usual dash, and had a lead of four clear by the interval. Play was more even in the second half. Bohemians took matters rather easily, but were never in danger of losing their advantage.

Bohemians—Captain H. Cannon; F. King, J. McCarthy; P. O'Kane, J. McMahon, J. Kirby; P. Ellis, W. Jordan, G. Ebbs, J. White, C. Foy.

Jacobs — Collins; Ronan, Crowley; Corcoran, Kelly, Temple; Hickey, Heron, Owens, Farrell, Carlisle.

FINE DISPLAY BY CORK.

CORK .... 3 SHELBOURNE 0

An excellent game was witnessed at Cork yesterday. The home team were clearly superior, and fully merited their victory. Shelbourne were weak in attack, and many opportunities went abegging. Cork showed convincing form, their play all through being methodical and their finishing good. Ten minutes before the interval Lennox turned the ball past Shevlin, and five minutes later Cunningham added the second. Just before the end a bad mistake by Lennox enabled Cunningham to get Cork's third goal.

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULTS.

ENGLISH CUP—SEMI-FINALS.

Arsenal	1	Manchester C.	0
Chelsea	1	Newcastle U.	2

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIV. I.—Bolton Wanderers 5, Birmingham 1; Grimsby Town 4, Blackburn R. 3; Leicester City 2, Blackpool 2; Liverpool 2, Sheffield U. 1; Middlesbrough 0, Sunderland 1; Sheffield W. 2, West Bromwich A. 5; West Ham U. 2, Derby Co. 1.

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIV. II.—Bradford 1, Notts Co. 1; Burnley 2, Port Vale 2; Charlton Ath. 3, Swansea Town 3; Chesterfield 4, Bury 1; Manchester U. 2, Plymouth A 1; Nottingham F. 2, Oldham Ath. 0; Preston N.E. 2, Millwall 0; Southampton 0, Bradford City 1; Stoke City 3, Leeds United 4; Tottenham H. 2, Bristol City 1; Wolverhampton W. 2, Barnsley 0.

ENGLISH LEAGUE III. (SOUTH).—Bournemouth Ath. 1, Luton Town 1; Brighton and H.A. 1, Southend Utd. 2; Bristol Rovers 3, Coventry City 1; Clapton O. 2, Brentford 2; Crystal Palace 5, Cardiff City 0; Mansfield Town 1, Reading 7; Norwich City 2, Fulham 2; Swindon Town 2, Thames 0; Torquay Utd. 2, Exeter City 1; Watford 1, Northampton 2.

ENGLISH LEAGUE III. (NORTH).—Carlisle Utd. 4, Halifax Town 0; Crewe A. 2, Walsall 1; Doncaster R. 2, New Brighton 1; Rochdale 0, Gateshead 3; Rotherham Utd. 3, Chester 0; Southport 3, Barrow 1; Stockport Co. 3, Hartlepools Utd. 2; Tranmere R. 1, Lincoln City 0; Wrexham 3, Darlington 0; York City 0, Hull City 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—DIV. I.—Airdrieonians 2, Third Lanark 2; Celtic 2, Motherwell 4; Cowdenbeath 2, Dundee 1; Dundee United 0, Rangers 5; Hamilton A. 6, Clyde 1; Hearts 2, St. Mirren 2; Kilmarnock 6, Leith Ath. 3; Morton 1, Aberdeen 1; Partick Thistle 2, Ayr Utd. 1; Queen's Park 2, Falkirk 1.

BELFAST CITY CUP.

	Goals.		Goals.
Belfast Celtic	4	Bangor	0
Derry City	4	Ards	0
Linfield	3	Glenavon	2
Distillery	2	Cliftonville	2
Larne	4	Newry Town	2
Ballymena	3	Glentoran	2
Coleraine	1	Portadown	1

TO-DAY'S FIXTURE.

Mountjoy School Present v. Old Boys, Dalymount Park, 4.15.

Mountjoy School.—A. H. Blackmore; R. M. McCall, H. A. Campbell; W. J. Dixon, P. Michael, G. E. Armstrong; C. T. Acheson, A. W. Muir, C. J. Hughes, C. E. Tait, Hugh Jordan.

LACROSSE.

PIONEER CLUB.

Owing to several of the members travelling to Cardiff for the International match v. Wales tomorrow there will be no practice at the L.C.C. today.

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LEVER BROTHERS LIMITED.

Messrs. LAZARD BROTHERS & CO., LTD., will offer for Sale on Tuesday next, the 15th March.

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2. The Stock will be secured by a Trust Deed creating a floating charge upon the undertaking and all the assets of the Company, ranking after the charges to secure the 7 per cent. and the 5 per cent. First Mortgage Debenture Stocks. The Company will covenant that no further issue will be made of its First Mortgage Debenture Stock, which will thus be limited (after the repayment of the 7 per cent. Stock), to the £3,348,780 of 5 per cent. First Mortgage Debenture Stock now outstanding. After 1st October, 1941, or the prior repayment of the 5 per cent. First Mortgage Debenture Stock, the charge securing the new Stock will become a first floating charge.
3. The new Stock will be limited in the first instance to the amount of £3,440,000, but power will be reserved to the Company to issue further Stock, provided that the total amount of Stock ranking *pari passu* with or in priority to the new Stock does not exceed £15,000,000.
4. Interest on the Stock will be payable half-yearly on 1st April and 1st October. The first payment of interest will be made on 1st October, 1932, and will be £1 19s. 3d. (less tax) per £100 Stock.
5. The Stock will be repayable at par on 1st April, 1957, but the Company will have the right to redeem the whole or any part of the Stock on 1st April, 1942, or at any time thereafter on giving three months' previous notice.
6. The Company will in each year apply £68,800 in the redemption of the Stock by purchase at or under par plus accrued interest or by drawings at par.
7. **The annual amount required to meet the interest and sinking fund on the new Stock is £240,800. The average annual profits of the Company available to meet this service of the Stock for the three years 1928/30 have exceeded £6,000,000.**

Particulars of the Offer and Forms of Application may be obtained from Messrs. Lazard Brothers & Co., Limited, 11 Old Broad Street, London, E.C.2.

Special consideration will be given to applications for the Stock received (on the special forms provided) before the closing of the list for cash applications from registered holders of all classes of Debenture, Preference and Preferred Ordinary Stock of Lever Brothers Limited.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

LONDON STOCK MARKET FEATURES.

THE FUTURE OF MONEY RATES.

INVESTMENT TRUST STOCKS.

FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

59 *FLEET STREET, LONDON, Sunday.*

It is not to be expected that the decline in the official value of money will stop at last week's reduction in the bank rate. Something may depend upon the extent of the foreign speculation in the exchanges, for if this becomes aggressive again the restrictive influence of a still lower level of money rates must be tried. Even if active speculation is not resumed the chances are that foreign funds will be offered in this market, thus producing week discount rates, and rendering the present official minimum still more ineffective. It is conceivable also that gold may be sent to this side, though such a development is not needed at present. In any case the chances are that the future trend of gilt-edged securities will be upward, thus increasing the prospects of a successful debt conversion scheme.

INVESTMENT YIELDS.

As previously mentioned, the general idea is that the 5 p.c. War Loan may be converted to a 4 per cent. basis. That rate would for the time being determine the yield on British Government securities generally, which means that 4 p.c. Funding and 4 p.c. Consols would be quoted in the neighbourhood of par with an allowance for the redemption difference in the two stocks, while the 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan should stand at about 87½. In that event there would be a demand for any sound securities available on a yield basis of 4½ or 4¾ per cent. We should see a further rise in the best Industrial Debenture and Preference issues, and probably an appreciation in the best secured Railway Debentures, while prices of Banking and Insurance shares, as well as of Investment Trust Stocks would certainly improve. So far, however, all this is in the air, and for one reason it is to be hoped that monetary conditions will not be too easy, for that would be an indication of unsatisfactory trade, and the country badly needs an improvement in that respect.

NEW LOANS.

The prospect of a general reduction in the yields afforded to new investors may encourage a buying movement in case stocks are not available at present prices in the future. Perhaps, however, investors need be in no hurry—not because values are likely to fall, but because we are likely to see many new loans in the next month or two. Unfortunately, when such issues are attractive the ordinary investor stands little chance of obtaining an allotment, or only a small proportion of the stock he applies for. This is because of the extent to which new issues are covered by the applications of "stags," and owing to this the figures mentioned of late as to the extent to which certain loans have been over-subscribed are somewhat misleading, for they do not represent a genuine investment demand. The "stags," knowing that allotments will be on a small percentage basis, usually apply for considerably more stock than they wish to pay for in the expectation of being able to sell the allotment at a premium.

TRUST COMPANIES' SECURITIES.

A much better market has been witnessed of late for investment trust stocks, the result, of course, of the appreciation in securities which those institutions hold. Not long ago it was difficult to sell these stocks in any quantity at quoted prices, but now there is equal difficulty in buying them. According to a broker's list certain amounts of various securities were available at the end of last week, and it may be useful to indicate the yields afforded at the prices at which stock was offered. The schedule includes a quantity of British Steamship Investment Deferred at 106, indicating a return of over 9½ from the 10 per cent. dividend paid on the last occasion. A fair amount of Cardinal Investment Deferred was also available at 180, showing a yield of fully 6⅔ p.c. from the 12 p.c. distribution. Consolidated Trust Deferred was offered at 260, giving a return of 7⅝ per cent., from the 20 per cent. dividend, and Foreign, American and General Deferred at 125, at which the return was just 8 per cent., the last dividend having been 10 per cent.

A reasonable proposition is General Investors and Trustees Ordinary Stock at 180, for at this price the yield from the 13 per cent. dividend is not far short of 7¼ per cent. A small line of Government Stock and other securities Deferred Ordinary was available at 95, thus promising a return of fully 10½ per cent. from the 10 per cent. dividend. London, Scottish and American Trust Defd. could be obtained at 183, showing a yield of 6⅚ per cent from the 12½ per cent. dividend paid on the last occasion. All the above companies are old established, and the last dividend paid was earned with a margin. There are a good many stocks of the younger companies which are quoted on a much higher yield basis, but, broadly speaking, these would not be chosen by the prudent investor. In the event of a further improvement in fixed interest securities, these trust companies' stocks should enjoy a further recovery from the low level caused by the events of last year.

PREFERENCE ISSUES.

Trust companies' Preferences are even more scarce than the Ordinary stocks—at least, those of a kind that can be confidently recommended to the investor. Among the few lines recently on offer was London and Provincial Trust 4½ per cent. Preference. The dividend on this was covered fully three times by the last profits, and the stock was available at 82½, thus giving a return of 5⅛ per cent. Romney Trust 5 per cent. Preference was offered at 87, thus returning nearly 5¾ per cent., and in this case the dividend was covered fully twice by the last earnings. A rather attractive selection is Second Consolidated Trust 4½ per cent. Preference, with interest covered twice by earnings. This was offered at 76, at which the indicated return is 6⅛ per cent. Second Industrial Trust 4½ per cent. Preference £10 Shares were lately available at 8¾ to return 1/16 over 5¼ per cent., with the dividend covered nearly three times by profits. Winterbottom Trust 5 per cent. Preference was offered at 78, at which the return is nearly 6⅛ per cent., while the dividend was covered fully 1¼ times by the last annual earnings. It is to be expected that such undertakings will enjoy greater prosperity in the future, if only because of the prospective increased activity in the financial world, thus giving great opportunities for underwriting and similar operations.

SCOPE FOR IMPROVEMENT.

World conditions are still very unsatisfactory, but in due course they will improve, in which respect Great Britain has shown the way. When we have a substantial rise in commodities, the primary producing countries will immediately benefit for their purchasing power will be increased. Such countries as Argentina, for example, would be particularly helped, and, because of this, it would seem that the depressed level of the Railway stocks, both Ordinary and fixed-charge issues, presents an excellent opportunity to the speculative investor, who is prepared to lock up his stock indefinitely. Obviously, a long time will elapse before Ordinary dividends are paid on the scale usual two or three years ago, but the market will not wait for that, but will put up prices in anticipation.

RAILWAY AND OTHER STOCKS.

The same considerations apply to South American Rails generally, but in the case of Brazilian and Uruguayan descriptions the period of waiting will probably be longer. In other directions, there is scope for further improvement in Australian Government Loans, many of which can still be obtained on an unusually high yield basis for trustee stocks, as these still are. Various European government bonds are greatly depreciated, but there will be a natural hesitation to buy these until we have seen the results of the elections in Germany and France. The position on the Continent is still very unsettled, and while this is the case the bonds of the weaker nations must reflect the uncertainty regarding the due payment of interest. Of late there has been a better market for Home Railway Stocks. The latest traffics looked more encouraging, and there is at least the hope that some agreement will be reached by which the losses of the companies from road competition will be greatly lessened.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE.

Saturday.

STOCKS AND SHARES:

London quiet.
Dublin idle.
Manchester Textiles easier.
Birmingham Motors firm.
New York steady.

MONEY:

Bank of England Rate	4	p.c.
Last Year	3	p.c.
Irish Banks' Rate	5	p.c.
Ditto Deposits	2	p.c.
London Day-to-Day Loans	1½	p.c.
London Fine 3-Months Bills	2½-⅝	p.c.

TONE AND COMMENT

DUBLIN IDLE.

GUINNESS FIRMER.

Dublin Stock Market was very idle on Saturday, and the only important change was a fall of a point in 3 per cent. Land Stock to 67⅞. Land Bonds were easier. Second National Loan rose ⅛ to 103¼. Guinness units were firmer at 83s., and there was some nibbling at Dublin Distillers "A" shares.

In the Industrial section, Courtaulds were a weak spot on the meeting, and lost 1s. 7½d. Dunlops were also weak at 11s. 6d., and Chemicals were dull. Calico Printers improved, and Imperial Tobaccos and Unilevers remained unchanged.

LONDON QUIET.

DOWNWARD TREND OF PRICES.

London Stock Markets wore an extremely quiet appearance on Saturday, the fact that it was the last day of the account limiting dealings to the most meagre proportions, while the attendance of members was smaller than it has been on recent Saturdays. In the absence of interest prices disclosed a downward trend, and although here and there bright spots were apparent, the bulk of the movements returned at the end were against holders. British Funds enjoyed only a scanty business, and quotations went off. Extremely quiet conditions prevailed among Foreign Government Stocks, but quotations were well held, and, with a couple or so minor exceptions, the final rates were the same as those ruling at the previous session. British Rails also attracted but scanty interest, and, excepting a couple of small changes among Midlands, all the final rates were as before. The Industrial sections were still under the influence of profit-taking, and values showed small losses practically throughout the list. Spillers, however, were an exception, rising sharply on the dividend announcement. Matches were flat, and the trans-Atlantic issues mostly were dull. Tobaccos were steady, but the Miscellaneous Industrials went off in a number of directions.

THE INDUSTRIAL MARKET.

SPILLERS IN REQUEST.

Dealers in the Industrial market on Saturday were mainly occupied with the carry over preliminaries. A fair-sized bull account was reported in some of the leading home issues and values generally were rather easier. Bright spots were not lacking, the feature being a strong demand for Spillers, following the dividend announcement, which was well received. British Oil Cakes responded to the big jump in profits shown in the annual report.

Advices from Wall street gave no encouragement to dealers in the trans-Atlantic counters, and prices further declined.

Cables and Wireless stocks failed to maintain the improvement recorded on Friday.

Moderate support was forthcoming for Motor shares, which were a trifle harder generally.

Little fresh interest was taken in Textiles, but prices had a fairly steady appearance.

Rayons remained on the dull side. American Celanese Common gave way further to 1¼, with British Celanese Ord. offered at 8s. 4½d. Courtaulds remained around 34s. 4½d.

Unilever N.V. reacted to 1⅛, and Tate and Lyles yielded 4½d. further to 42s. 10½d., while Crosse and Blackwells closed the turn easier.

Quieter conditions prevailed in the Brewery section. Distillers were well maintained around 50s.

The Tobacco leaders were slightly easier, "Bats" lost the turn at 4 1/16 and "Imps" at 4 1/16.

Insurance issues were quiet, and few movements occurred in the Banking section, but Anglo-South American "A" continued to meet with support and put on 6d. to 25s.

Sharp movements in Spillers Ord. and Deferred were a feature of the Miscellaneous section following the dividend announcement. The Ord. were finally 2s. to the good at 38s., while the Deferred rose 1s. 9d. to 20s. Associated Flour Mills improved 9d. to 14s. 9d. British Oil and Cake were marked up 1s. to 72s. on the report. London Brick were an uncertain market at 32s. 3d., a further loss of 2s. 3d. Elsewhere moderate declines were marked in British Match, Dunlops, Chemicals and Molasses. Kreuger and Toll gave way ⅛ to 6⅞ and Swedish Match ⅛ to 4⅛.

OIL SHARES QUIET.

The Oil Share market was small. Business in the leaders was of an extremely quiet character, while many of the more speculative descriptions were hardly mentioned. Actual price changes were of little consequence.

RUBBER SHARES NEGLECTED.

Business in the Rubber Share Market, as is usual on a Saturday, was practically non-existent. A firmer tendency prevailed in the raw material department at the commencement, but subsequently prices eased the turn. Spot and March sold from 2 5/16d. to 2⅜d. per pound, with April to June moving from 2⅜d. to 2 7/16d. per pound, and July to September from 2½d. to 2 9/16d per pound.

EXPORTS OF PORTER AND SPIRITS.

The shipment of porter, ale, etc., and plain Irish Free State spirits from the Port of Dublin, together with f.o.b. value duty, from available data for periods named were:—

PORTER, BEER, ETC.

	Standard barrels.	Declared f.o.b. value. £
Week ending March 9, 1932	22,048	72,875
Previous week	19,605	64,856
Corresponding week, 1931	27,155	89,988

PLAIN IRISH SPIRITS.

	Proof Gallons.	£
Week ending March 9, 1932	965	764
Previous week	516	416
Corresponding week, 1931	249	321

The above figures are officially supplied.

The available weekly shipping returns for periods named hereunder in the aggregate work out approximately:—

PORTER, BEER, ETC.

	Standard barrels.	£
Jan. 1 to March 9, 1932	184,298	609,875
Corresponding period, 1931	234,954	777,716
Decrease	50,656	167,841
July 1, '31, to March 9, '32	796,495	2,633,073
Corresponding period, '30-'31	956,579	3,166,951
Decrease	160,084	531,878

The exports of plain Irish Free State spirits from July 1st, 1931, to March 9th, 1932, were 45,811 proof gallons, of declared f.o.b. value £42,104. For the corresponding period 1930-31 the quantity was 49,900 gallons, of £49,305 declared value.

LONDON MINING MARKET SLOW.

PRICES IRREGULAR.

The attendance of members in the Mining market on Saturday was small. Few variations occurred among prices, and these did not show any decided tendency. The Cape bought a few small lines of various shares, but the actual volume of business was almost negligible.

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. Feb. 29.		
10/6	Afric & Eur	10/0-11/0
6/6	Ang-A. Corp	6/9-7/9
½	Anglo-Fr'ch.	1 15/32-1 17/32
3 11/32	Brakpan	3 11/16-3 13/16+1/16
8¼	Cent. Mining	8¼-9¼
5/7½	City Deep	5/3-5/9
1 9/32	Con. Gold'ds	1 15/32-1 17/32
1 3/32	Cons. M.Reef	21/9-22/3
5/0	Con. M. Sel.	5/6-6/6
8/0	Crown Mines	5 7/32-5 9/32+1/32
2 3/32	Daggafont'n	2 3/32-2 5/32
⅞	Durban Deep	18/6-19/0+0/6
3	East Geduld	2 25/32-2 31/32
14/3	E.RandProp	13/7-13/10
4	Geduld	3 15/16-4 1/16
10/0	Gelden Deep	10/0-10/6
1 3/16	Gen. Mining	1 7/32-1 9/32
1⅛	Govt. M. 5/	1⅝-1 11/16
1⅛	Grootvlei	1 1/16-1 3/16
21/6	Johan Invsts	22/6-23/6
4/6	Kleinfontein	4/3-4/9
9/6	Knight's	8/0-9/0
25/3	LanglaagteE	25/3-25/9
1⅛	Meyer & Char	1 3/32-1 5/32
2 5/16	Modderfontn	2 11/32-2 13/32
10 9	Modder B.	10/3-11/3
2 3/32	Modder Deep	16/6-17/6
1¼	Modder East	1⅝-1¾
2 7/16	New S. Areas	2 11/32-2 13/32
7/32	Nigel	5/32-9/32
15/9	Nourse	15/6-16/0
1/3	Oceana Con.	0/11½-0/4½
3 1/16	Rand Mines	3 7/32-3 9/32
27/6	Randfontein	26/7-26/10+0/3
10/0	Robin DeepB	8/4½-8/7½+0/3
6/6	Rose Deep	6/0-6/6
3 4½	Simmer & J.	3/6-3/9
5/3	S.A. Towns	5/0-5/6
3 15/32	Springs	3 11/32-3 13/32
15/6	Sth.-W. Af.	15/16-1 1/16
3 13/32	Sub Nigel	3¾-3 13/16+1/32
3⅛	Trans.Del.B.	3¼-3½
1	Trans. Con.L	1 1/16-1 3/16
2 7/16	Union Corp	2⅝-2 11/16+1/32
10/9	Van Ryn	10/3-11/3
1	Do. Deep	1-1 1/16
1	Vereeniging	1 1/16-1 3/16
2/6	Village Deep	2/3 2/9
12/0	West R. Con	11/10-12/1+0/1½
1 3/32	West Springs	12/0-12/6
5/0	Wit. Deep	4/9 5/9

RHODESIAN.

M.U. Feb. 29.		
4/0	BechuanaEx	4/0-4/6
2/6	B. M'Kubwa	2/7½-2/10½-0/1½
1 3/16	Cam & Motor	1 5/32-1 9/32+1/32
19/0	Char. B.S.A.	20/10-21/1
15/0	Globe & Phœ	14/3-14/9
2/10½	GoldF.Rhod	3/1½-3/4½
1/3	Loangwa	1/7½-1/10½
2 3/32	Lonely Reef	¾-⅞
1¼	Rezende	1¼-1⅜
½	Rhod Katanga	½-⅝
2⅞	Rhokana Corp.	3-3¼-¼
7/3	Roan Antel(5/)	7/3-7/9-0/1½
1 9	Selukwe (2/6)	1/6-2/0
⅝	Sherw'd Star	11/32-13/32
1	Tangan. Con	1 1/32-1 3/32
2 23/32	Vic.FallsOrd	2 11/32-2 13/32
32/3	Do. Pref.	1 13/32-1 15/32
	Wankie Col.	⅝-¾
1 3/32	Zamb Expl.	11/32-13/32

DIAMOND.

8/9	Angola Dia.	8/3-9/3
2/0	Cn.D.S.W.A	1/6-2/6
3 15/16	DeBeersDef	3⅞-4
5⅞	Do. Pref.	5-5¼
⅞	Jagersf'tein	15/16-1 1/16
1 6	N. Val. River	1 1/16-1 3/16
1⅛	Premier Pref	1-1⅛
3/3	West African	3/0 3/6

AUSTRALIAN.

5/16	Amal. Zinc	¼-⅜*
11/9	B. Hill Prop	11/3-12/3+0/3
1 13/16	Do. South	1 11/16-1 15/16*
⅞	Elec.Zinc Pf.	13/16-15/16
9/3	Lake V. Star	9/6-10/0
1 1/16	Lake V. Inv.	1 1/16-1 3/16
10/0	Mount Isa	9/10½-10/4½
2 11/16	Nth. Bn. Hill	2 9/16-2 11/16
15/6	Sth. Kalgurli	15/3-16/3+0/3
8/9	Sulphide Ord	8/0-9/0
10/6	Do. Pref.	10/3-11/3
13/6	Wiluna Gold	13/9-14/9
1 3/32	Zinc Ord (10)	1 1/32-1 3/32
2 13/16	Do. Pref.	2⅝-2⅞

WEST AFRICAN.

27/0	Ashanti (4/)	25/0-26/0
6/6	Fanti Cons	5/6-6/6

TIN.

M.U. Feb. 29.		
2/6	Anglo-C. (10/)	2/0-2/6
6/0	Anglo-Orient	5/3-6/3
	Do Pref.	8/6-9/6
⅛	Aramayo	13/16
4/0	Associa'd Tin	3/6-4/6
4/0	Bisichi	3/9-4/3
1 25/32	Gopeng	1 19/32-1 21/32
14/6	Ipoh	14/3-15/3
7/16	Kaduna Synd	5/16-7/16
4/7½	Kamunting	4/4½-4/10½-0/1½
1	Kram'tPulai	1-1 1/16
11/0	London Tin	10/6-11/0+0/1½
16/0	Malayan T.D	16/0-16/6-0/3
1 3/32	Naraguta	¼-⅜
4/4½	Pahang 5/	4/6-5/0
5/0	Rambutan	
13 3	Renong	13/3-14/3
7/3	Siamese	6/9 7/9
5/0	Tavoy (4/)	4/6-5/0
13/6	Tronoh (5/)	13/3-14/3

COPPER.

5/7½	Messina	5/0-6/0
1 3/16	Mount Lyell	15/9-16/9
3/6	Namaqua	3/0-4/0
17½	RioTinto(£5)	16-18½
3 1/16	Tharsis	3 1/16-3 3/16

MISCELLANEOUS.

9/1½	Burma Corp	8/9-9/0-0/1½
9/6	Chatup. Reef	9/0-9/6*
4/0	Gbos. Corp	
1/6	Explor. (10/)	1/3-1/9
2¼	Min.Sepa'l'n	2¼-2½
6/0	Min.Crp.Can	5/3-6/3
7/6	Mysore (10/	6/6-7/6*
19/6	Nundydroog	19/0-20/0
2/6	Ooregum	2/0-3/0
5/16	Panama Corp	7/0-8/0
18/0	St. J.Del Rey	17/6-18/6
8.0	San Fr'isco	8/3-9/3
6/3	Santa Gert.	5/10½-6/4½
3/3	Tigon Minz.	2/6-3/6
6/7½	Trepca (2/6)	6/6-7/6
15/0	Waihi Gold	14/9-15/9

* Ex Dividend. † Ex Rights. ‡ Ex bonus.

REFUGE Assurance Company Limited.

Chief Office: Oxford Street, Manchester.

(Incorporated in England 1864).

Summary of Directors' Report for the Year ended 31st December, 1931

Total Income for year £11,502,809, being an increase of **£322,458** over the previous year.

Total Assets at end of the year, **£52,719,006,** being an increase of **£3,350,759,** during the year.

Total Claims Paid in the year, **£4,923,215.** The Company has paid **£70,946,838** in claims since its establishment.

The Total Assurances existing on December 31st, 1931 amounted to **£68,955,923** in the Ordinary Branch and **£97,049,674** in the Industrial Branch.

The Premium Income in the Ordinary Branch was **£4,139,059** being an increase of **£127,891** over the previous year; and in the Industrial Branch it was **£5,084,493** being an increase of **£142,902.**

The Company transacts Life Assurance business of every description.

J. WILCOCK HOLGATE, *Chairman.*

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THE MONEY MARKET

CREDIT PLENTIFUL.

The usual week-end ease characterised the Money Market on Saturday, and loans until Monday were offering down to 1½ per cent.

Bill rates, however, continued to harden, with 2⅝ to 2¾ per cent. the general quotation for fine three months bank bills. The "hot" Treasuries were offered at 2 9/16 per cent.

Bank Rates Discount (changed March 10), 4%.

60 days (fine)	2 7/16	3½%	Trade	4	4½%
3 months	2 7/16	3½%	"	4¼	4¾%
4 "	2½	3¾%	"	4½	5 %
6 "	2 9/16	4 %	"	4¾	5¼%

Loans to Brokers Day-to-day	2 1¾%
for a week	3 2½%
Deposit Allowance: Banks at Call	2 %
" Discount Houses at Call	2 %
" at Notice	2¼%

Silver improved ⅛d. for spot and 1/16d. for forward delivery to 18 1/16d. and 18 1/16d. per oz. respectively.

Gold was unaltered at 113s. 8d. per oz. fine. The sum of £1,090,000 left Bombay for London on Saturday.

Conditions in the Foreign Exchange market on Saturday morning were extremely quiet, and the principal exchanges moved within narrow limits. The dollar rate fell by 1c. to 3.63¼. The Canadian exchange, however, finished without alteration at 4.06.

Among the European currencies, the French and Belgian rates fell, the former by 1/16f. to 92⅛, and the latter by 5c. to 26.00. Reichsmarks cheapened by 1/16 mk. to 15 5/16.

In the South American section, Argentine dollars improved fractionally to 38⅞, but the Brazilian milreis was steady at 4 1/16. Japanese yen were unchanged at 20⅞.

Centre	March 12 Closing Rates		March 11 Closing Rates		Par Exch
New York	3.63¼	3.63¾	3.64¼	3.64¾	4.86⅔
Montreal	4.05	4.07	4.05	4.07	4.86⅔
Amsterdam	9.00	9.05	9.00	9.05	12.10⅞
Berlin	15¼	15 5/16	15.20	15.30	20.43
Brussels	25.95	26.05	26.00	26.10	35.00
Copenhagen	18.10	18.20	18.10	18.20	18.159
Geneva	18.70	18.80	18¾	18 13/16	25.221½
Madrid	47⅜	47⅝	47⅜	47⅝	25.22
Milan	70	70¼	70	70¼	92.46
Oslo	18⅜	18½	18⅜	18½	18.159
Paris	92¼	92½	92½	92⅝	124.21
Stockholm	18.05	18.15	18.05	18.15	18.159
Alexandria	97⅜	97⅝	97⅜	97⅝	97.5
Athens	280	300	275	295	375
Helsingfors	215	220	215	220	193.23
Lisbon	109¼	110¼	109½	110½	110
Prague	122¼	123	122¼	123¼	164.25
Vienna	30	34 nom	30	34 nom	34.58½
Warsaw	32	33	32	33	43.38
B. Ayres	38½	39	38¾	39	47.57d
Lima 90 dys	12.90		12.90		17.38
Mexico*	11.21		11.21		9.76
M'video*	29	32 nom	29	32 nom	51
Rio de Jan.	4	4⅛	4	4⅛	5.899
Valparaiso	30.20		30.80		40
Calcutta	18⅛	18 3/16	18⅛	18 5/32	18d
Hongkong	—	—	—	—	—
Kobe p.yn	20¾	21	20¾	21	24.58
Shanghai*	21¼	22 5/16	21¼	22⅛	—
Singapore*	27⅜	27 15/16	27⅜	27 15/16	28

* Rate quoted on London.

LIVERPOOL MEAT IMPORTS.

LIVERPOOL, Saturday.

Only three steamers landed fresh meat at Liverpool during the past week from the various overseas ports. The vessels with their freights were as follows:—La Rosarina, from River Plate, with 18,596 sheep and lamb carcases, 666 cases of pork, 866 sides of veal, 3,328 bags, etc., of meat and 36,289qrs. of beef; the Montclare, from St. John, with 3,845 boxes of meat; and the Baltic, from New York, with 1,904 boxes of pork and 184 boxes of meat—making a total of 18,596 sheep and lamb carcases, 2,570 boxes of pork, 866 sides of veal, 7,357 bags, etc., of meat and 36,289qrs. of beef. Compared with the arrivals of the preceding week these figures show an increase of 3,650qrs. of beef, and 240 cases of pork, and a decrease of 23,611 sheep and lamb carcases, 887 sides of veal and 298 boxes, etc., of meat.

Between three hundred and three hundred and fifty hands, chiefly casual unskilled men, have received notice of discharge from Portsmouth dockyard engineering and constructive departments.

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

FUNDS HEAVY. GUINNESS BETTER. INDUSTRIALS QUIET.

In Funds, Second National Loan rose ⅛ at 103¼, and Third ditto lost ⅛ at 95½. Land Bonds eased ⅛ at 96¼, and ditto (small lots under £200) 1/16 at 96; 5 per cent. War Loan shed 1/16 at 101⅛, and ditto Deed put on ⅛ at 101¼. Funding Loan was 1 lower at 95¼, and Land Stock (1909) gave way 1 at 67⅞.

National Bank hardened 6d. at 44s. 6d., after 44s. 3d.

Distillers rose 9d. at 50s., Dublin Distillers "A" 1d. at 1s. 7d., Guinness 1½d. at 83s., after 82s. 9d., and the Prefs. unchanged at 11⅛.

Among Industrials, Calico Printers rose 1½d. to 9s. 10½d. Courtaulds were 1s. 7½d. lower at 34s. 1½d., and the Prefs. unaltered at 19s. 6d. Dunlops fell 7½d. at 11s. 6d., and Chemicals 1½d. at 17s. Goulding Pref. at 81s. 6d., "Imps" at 81s. 3d., after 81s., and Unilever at 30s. 7½d. were unchanged. *Independent* Pref. gained 6d. at 20s.

"Other business done" included Pinchin Johnson Ord. at 23s. 7½d.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

Second National Loan (102⅞) 103¼	Guinness (82/10½) 82/9 *3/-
Third Loan....(95¼) 95½	Do. Pref......(11¼) 11⅛
Land Bonds...(96⅜) 96¼	Calico Printers (9/9) 9/10½
Do. (small lots under £200) ......(96⅛) 96	Courtaulds.(35/9) 34/1½
5% War Ln.(101 3/16) 101⅛	Do. Pref...(19/6) 19/6
Do Deed .(101⅛) 101¼	Dunlops ..(12/1½) 11/6
Funding Loan.(96¼) 95¼	Goulding Pf.(81/6) 81/6
Land Stock 1909 (68⅞) 67⅞	Chemicals...(17/1½) 17/-
National Bank (44/-) 44/3 *4/6	Imp. Tobac.(81/3) 81/- *1/3
Distillers Ord.(49/3) 50/-	Independent Pref. (19/6) 20/-
Dub. Distill. A..(1/6) 1/7	Unilever...(30/7½) 30/7½
	Pinchin Johnson...23/7½

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash. (Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' rate (Mar. 10, 1932)	5 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	4 %
Deposits	2 %

The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	Mar. 14	April 4
Ticket	Mar. 15	April 5
Intermediate	Mar. 16	April 6
Account Day	Mar. 17	April 7

BELFAST.

BELFAST, Saturday.

Business was on a very restricted scale to-day, few transactions being recorded. Business done:—5 per cent. War Loan 101⅛ ¼, J. and P. Coats 43s., Tobacco Securities Trust 56s. 10½d.

MOTORS AND TEXTILES.

BIRMINGHAM.

Motor shares very firm. Rovers supported on references to brighter outlook. Standards good. Enfields wanted.

Austins	37/-	Rolls	34/6
Do. Prefd.	12/3	Rovers	2/10½
Dennis	19/-	Singers	7/-
Enfields	12/3	Standards	29/4½
Fords	28/-	Triumphs	6/1½
Humbers	7/-	Dunlops	11/4½
Leylands	35/-		

MANCHESTER.

Textiles a shade easier.

Bleachers, 13/-13/6	Courtaulds, 33/9-34/3.
Calicos, 9/6-10/-	Turner & Newall, 29/3-29/9
Dyers, 19/3-19/9	Wall Paper Def., 27/-27/6
Cottons, 28/-29/-	
Spinners, 16/6-17/-	Velvets, 13/6-14/-
"Slubbers," 3/6-3/9	Dunlops, 11/3-11/9
Coats, 42/9-43/3	

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Atlas, 11¼; Commercial Union, 20 1/16; Employers' Liability, 48/6, 9/6; General Accident, 14; London and Lancashire Fire, 26, ⅛; London Assurance, 8 13/16, 9/16, 11/16; North British and Mercantile, 32; Northern, 15 5/16; Phœnix, 12¼; do. £1 (fully paid), £13 3/7½, 13¼; Royal Insurance, 7 3/32.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

	Closing.		Rise or fall
Consols 2½%	80⅛	80⅜	— ⅛
Do. 4%	93⅞	93⅝	— ⅛
War Loan 4½%	101¼	101¾	+ ¼
Do. 5%	101 3/16	101 11/16	— 3/16
Funding Loan	95⅛	95⅝	— ½
Victory Bonds	96¼	96½	— ¼
3½% Conversion Loan	81⅞	82⅛	— ⅜
4½% Conversion Loan	102⅛	102⅜	— ⅛
5% Conversion Loan	105⅜	105⅝	— ⅛
Irish Free State 4½% Land Bonds	95½	97½	
India 3%	56	58½	
Do. 2½%	65	67½	
Do. 4½%	89	91	
Do. 5½%	100½	101½	
Local Loans	67½	68½	— ⅜
Sudan 5½%	108	110	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Con. 5 p.c.	85	87
Do. do. 6 p.c.	98	98
British Columbia 4½ p.c., 1941	90	93*
Canada 4 p.c., 1940-60	87½	89
Cape 3½ p.c. Cons.	80½	82½
Ceylon 6 p.c.	104	106
N.S.W. 5 p.c., 1945-65	78	79
Do. 6½ p.c., 1930-40	93	93
New Zealand 6 p.c., 1936-51	100	102
Do. 5 p.c., 1946	98	100
Nigeria 6 p.c.	106	108
Queensland 5 p.c., 1940-50	81	84*
South African 5 p.c., 1933-43	99½	101½
South Australian 5 p.c., 1932-42	80	83
Do. 4 p.c., 1940-60	64	66
Victoria 5 p.c., 1932-42	81	84*
Do. 5 p.c., 1945-75	83	86
Western Australian 5 p.c., 1945-75	82	85
Do. 6 p.c., 1930-40	90	93

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	24/0	25/0	+0/6
Bank of Australasia	7¾	8¼	— ⅛
Bank of England	272	277	
Bank of Montreal	49	54	
Bank of New South Wales	20	23	
Bank of New Zealand	2⅛	2⅜	
Barclay's "A" shares	8	8½	
British Overseas	4¼	4¾	
Canadian of Commerce	40	45	
Chartered of India	12½	13½	
Hong Kong and Shanghai	100	104*	
Lloyds	49/6	51/6	
Midland	7¼	7¾	
National Discount "B"	9½	10	
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	11¾	12¼	
Royal of Canada	46	50	
Standard of South Africa	10¼	11¼	
Union of Australia	5¼	5¾	
Westminster Bank (£1)	88/0	89/0	—1/0

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—Feb. 29.				
93½	Austrian 6 p.c. Guar.	99½	100½	
105½	Belgian 7 p.c.	107½	108½	
38	Brazil 6½ p.c. S. Bds. '27	41½	42½	
75	Do. 5 p.c. Fund, 1898	83	74	
51½	Do. 5 p.c. do. 1914	63¼	66¼	
81½	Chinese 4½ p.c. 1898	82½	83½	
35	Do 5 p.c. 1912	38	40	
55	Do. 5 p.c. Reorg. 1913	58½	59½	
67	Chinese Imp. Ry. 5% Gold	65	80	
35	Do. Shanghai-Nanking 5 p.c.	34	39	
8	Do. Tientsin Pukow 5 p.c.	8	12	
99½	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	101½	102½	
85½	Egyptian Unified	85	88	
29½	French Loan 5 p.c.	27	27¼	
27	Do. 4 p.c.	26	28	
71	German 7 p.c.	70	71	
76½	Greek 7 p.c.	6½	46½	
27	Italian Rentes	24½	26½	
78½	Japan 6 p.c. 1924	80	81	— ½
8	Mexican 5 p.c. '99	9	12	
8½	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y Treas	11	13	
	Peru Internal 7 p.c.	28	32	
2¾	Peruvian Corporation	3	3½	
11½	Do. Pref.	11	12	
49	Do. Deb.	49	51	
76	Poland 7 p.c. Sterling	76½	77½	
44	Portuguese 3 p.c.	45	46	+1
	Spanish 4 p.c.	61	81	
7½	Turkish Unified	7	8	

BRITISH RAILS.

41¾	Great Western	43¾	44¾	
	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	77	79	
15¾	Ldn. Mid. & Scot. Ord	18¼	19¼	— ¼
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	47½	48½	+ ½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref	62	66	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref. 1923	37	39	
8¾	Ldn. North-East 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	10¾	11¼	
4¼	Do. Def. Ord.	3⅛	5⅛	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	42	45	
—	Do 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	21½	23½	
34½	Metropolitan	34	36	
33½	Do. District	32	34	
36	Southern Pref. Ord.	39	40	
9	Do. Def. Ord.	10½	11	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	67	69	
18 7½	Underground Elec. (£1)	18/7½	19/1½	
—	Do. Income Bonds	95	100*	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

13	Antofagasta Ord.	13	15	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	5	6	
—	Bahia Blanca Guar. Stk	70	74	
36½	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	37	38	
21	Buenos Ayres & Pacific	20½	22½	
27	Buenos Ayres and W.	27½	29½	— ½
	Canadian National Guar.	69	73	
23½	Canadian Pacific ($25)	22	23*	—2
22	Central Argentine	21	23	
—	Do. Def.	8	10	
15	Central Uruguay Ord.	12	13	
—	Cordoba Central	2½	4½	
4½	Do. 1st Pref.	4	6	
2	Do. 2nd Pref.	4	6	
—	Entre Rios	24	27	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref	36	40	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar	80	83	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb	80	84	
—	Internl. of Cent. Amer	4	6	
12½	Leopoldina	14	16	
20/0	Mexican Rails	½	1	
30/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	2	4	
20/0	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	1	2	
93	San Paulo Ord.	97	102	
3½	United Havana	2½	4½	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	110	115	—2
—	Chicago Milwaukee New	3	4	
—	Erie	10	11	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	16	17	
—	New York Central	40	45	—2
—	New York Ontario	9	14	
—	Pennsylvania	24	29	
13½	Southern Common	12	17	
—	Southern Pacific	35	40	
118	Union Pacific	110	115*	—5

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

20/3	Allsopp £1 Shares	21/6	22/6	
55/6	Bass, Ratcliff Ord.	56/0	58/0	
2/6	Brewers of Vancouver	2/3	3/0	
—	City of London Def. (5/-)	6/6	7/6	
42/6	Courage Ord.	45/3	46/3	
44/0	Distillers Ord.	49/3	50/3	
81/0	Guinness Ord. (£1 units)	83/0	84/0	
41/0	Hoare and Co.	47/3	48/3	
48/9	Ind Coope Ord.	51/3	52/3	
46/6	South African Breweries	48/9	49/9	
—	Walker (John) Pref.	22/0	23/0	
64½	Watney Combe Def.	42/0	43/0	—0/3

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

—	Bournemouth and Poole	60/6	62/6	—0/6
28/6	Charing Cross	28/6	29/6	
—	Chelsea Ord.	24/6	25/6	
35/6	City of London	36/0	37/0	
43/9	County of London	44/3	45/3	
—	Lancashire	24/3	25/3	
27/3	London Electric	28/0	29/0	
39/9	Metropolitan	41/3	42/3	
24 1½	Newcastle	23/6	24/6	—0/3
29/9	St. James's	28/6	30/6*	
—	South London	28/0	29/0	
25/6	Westminster Electric	26/9	27/9*	
—	Whitehall Inv. Pref	22/0	23/0	

INSURANCE.

—	Alliance £20 (£2 4/- p.)	17¾	18¾	
—	Atlas £5 (£1 5/- paid)	11	12	
—	Com. Un. (£2½ paid)	19½	20½	
—	Eagle Star Ord. £3	10	11	
—	Employers' £1 (5/- paid)	2 5/16	2 9/16	+1/16
—	Gen Accdt. £5 (£1¼ p.	13¾	14¼	
—	Guardian £3	11	12	— ⅛
—	L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£1 p.)	22½	23½	
—	Lon. Ass. £2½ (£1¼ p.)	8½	9	
—	N.B. & Mer. £5 (£1¼ p.)	31½	32½	
—	Northern £10 (£1 paid)	14½	15½	
—	Phœnix £10 (£1 paid)	11¾	12¾	
—	Do. £1 (f.p.)	12½	13½	
—	Prudential	21½	22½*	
—	Do. "B" £1 (4/- p.)	1⅛	2	
—	Royal Exchange	5¾	6⅛	
—	Royal Ins. £1 (10/- p.)	7	7½	
—	Sun Ins. £10	3⅛	3⅜	
—	Sun Life (£1)	4⅞	5⅛	+ ⅛
—	Yorkshire 50/- (10/- p.)	5⅞	6⅛	

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

3/6	Amal. Anthracite	3/3	4/0	
43/6	Babcock, Wilcox Ord.	44/6	45/6	
2/9	Baldwins	2/3	3/3	—0/1½
—	Brown (John)	1/6	2/0	
4/6	Buell Combustion	1/0	2/0	
1/9	Cammell Laird	0/9	1/3	—0/9
33/3	Cory (William)	33/9	35/9	
3/1½	Dorman Long	3/0	3/6	
14/0	Guest Keen	14/0	14/9	—0/1½
1/9	Pease and Partners	1/7½	2 1/2	
21/3	South Durham Steel	20/0	21/0	
13/0	Stewarts & Lloyds Def	13/3	14/3	
7 3	Vickers Ord	7/0	7/6	—0/1½

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

13/0	Argentine Land Invest.	13/16	15/16	
13/0	Do. Southern Land	21/32	25/32	
—	City San Paulo Impts.	3/0	4/0	+0/6
—	Commodity Share Deposit Certs.	48¼		
6/3	Eurestal Land	6/6	7/3	
20/0	Hudson's Bay Ord.	20/0	21/0	
—	Hyderabad Deccan	9/16	11/16	
—	Internal Invest Certs.	54½		
2 6	Pekin Syndicate	2/0	3/0	
26/10½	Sudan Plantations	1⅛	1 3/16	

NEWSPAPERS.

13 9	Assd Newspapers Df (5/-)	16/3	16/9	—0/6
—	Allied News Ord.	11/0	12/0	
—	Amal. Press (New)	11/6	12/6	
31/9	Daily Mail Trust	34/0	35/6	—0/3
9 6	Daily Mirror Ord	11/3	11/9	—0/6
—	Financial Newspapers	⅜	7/16	
22/6	Sunday Pictorial	1 5/16	1 7/16*	

NITRATES.

55	Cosach 7 p.c. Ster. Bds	48	52	— 2½
—	Cosach B. Ord.	1/0	2/0	
21/0	Lautaro Nitrate 7 p.c. Pref. (£5)	17/0	19/0	—0/6

REFRESHMENT AND FOOD.

19/0	Aerated Bread	19/0	20/0	+0/3
25/6	Bovril Def.	1 5/16	1 7/16*	
0/7½	Crosse & Blackwell	0/9	1/0	—0/1½
13 0	Home & Colonial (4/-)	15/0	15/6	
23/0	Inter. Tea Ord. (5/-)	24/0	4/3	
13 0	Lovell & Christmas	13 0	4/3	
4⅛	Lyons (J.)	4 3/16	4 5/16	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	23/6	24/0	
3 9	Maypole Def.	3/10½	4/1½	
21/3	Scribbans	12/0	12/6	
—	Do. Def. (1/-)	1/6	1/9	—0/1½
21/3	Schweppes Ord.	1 3/16	1 5/16	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	7/8	1 1/16	

OILS.

—	Anglo-American	3¾	4¼	
5/9	Anglo-Ecuadorian	6/6	7/0	+0/1½
1 9/32	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1¼	1⅜	
1 15/32	Anglo-Persian Ord	1 27/32	1 31/32	
23/9	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref	24/7½	25/1½	
23/6	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	24/3	24/9	
10 4½	Apex Trinidad (5/ shares)	10 3	10/9	—0/3
9/16	Attock	9/16	11/16	
4 3	British Borneo Pet. (10/)	4/3	4/9	
4 0	British Burmah (8/)	3/3	4/3	
1/3	British Controlled	1 3	1/6	
2 3	Do. Pref	2/3	2/6	
2 13/16	Burmah	2⅛	2¼	— 1/32
25 0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref	24/9	25/9	
6/10½	Canadian Eagle Ord.	6/10½	7/1½	—0/1½
9 6	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. ($3)	9/3	10/3	
9 3	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	8 0	9/0	
1 7½	Kern River (10/)	1 7½	2/1½	
1 5/32	Lobitos	1 5/32	1 9/32	
7/6	Mexican Eagle Ord	7/1½	7/4½	—0/1½
7 6	Do. 8 p.c. Pref	6/9	7/9	—0/3
6 6	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref (4 pesos)	6 3	7 3	
0/3	North Caucasian (10/)	0/1½	0/6	
	Pan-American "B"	20	25	
3/10½	Phoenix Oil	4/3	4/9	
2 0	Do. 1 shares	1/10½	2/4½	
17½	Royal Dutch	17½	17¾	— ¼
2 5/16	Shell Transport	2⅛	2 3/16	— 1/32
9¼	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9½	10	
22 3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref	23/6	24/0	—0/1½
4/4½	Steaua Romana	5/1½	5/7½	
3/0	Tankers Pref.	2/7½	3/1½	
1/9	Trinidad Central	1/0	2/0	
1¼	Trinidad Leasehold	1 9/32	1 11/32	
1 1/16	V.O.C. Holdings	1⅛	1 3/16	— 1/32
1 1/16	Do. 7 p.c. Pref	1⅛	1 3/16	— 1/32

RUBBERS.

M.U.—Feb. 29.			
9 6	Anglo-Dutch	8/10½	
0/3	Anglo-Java	0/5½	
3/7½	Anglo-Malay	4/6	
1/0	Bukit Mertajam	0/10½	
0/3	Bukit Sembawang	0/3	
5 0	Grand Central	4/6	
9/16	Highlands	10/0	
4 0	Jugra Land	5 0	
20/0	Kuala Lumpur	21/3	
9/32	Linggi	6/0	
1/7½	London Asiatic	1/7	
½	Malacca	10 7½	
7 0	Malayalam	7/9	+0/3
0/6	Merlimau	0/6	
13.0	Rubber Trust	12/9	
9/32	Tandjong	5.0	
12/6	Tandjong Malim	11/3	
1 3/32	United Sua Betong	20/0	
5.0	Vallambrosa	5/0	

Allagar	0/6		Laras Deb	23	
Batu Tiga	0/3		Ledbury	⅜	
Bernam Per'k	0/4½		Manch'r. N.B.	2/6	
Brit. I.G. Trst	35		N. Hayoep	0/6¾	
Do. Pref.	7½		N. Hummock	3/16	
Broome Sel	3/16		P.P.K. (C'y'n)	6/3	
Chersonese	1/1½		Pataling	5/16	
Cicely	1/4½		Perak (2/)	1/0	
Eastern Trst.	12/6		Rim Malacca	0/7½	
F.M.S. Plant.	13/9		Sedenak	5.0	
Gen. Ceylon	11/32		Serdang C'ntl	4/4½	
Glenbervie	2/6		Soember Ajoe	1/0	
Golden Hope	⅜		Sungei K'par.	0/10½	
Java Amal	6 3		Sungei Siput.	0/4½	
Kamuning	1/4½		Taiping	0/9	
Kepitigalla	0/6		Telogoredjo	5/0	
Kuala Sel	1/4½		Yam Seng	1/1½	
Laras	0/3				

SHIPPING.

—	Cairn Line	3/0	5/0	
—	Cunard Ord.	6/6	7/6	
—	Elder-Dempster 6% Pref	0/6	2/6	
—	Furness Withy	21/0	22/0	+0/3
—	P. and O. Def. (£1)	21/3	22/3	+0/3
—	Royal Mail Ord.	4	9	
—	White Star 6½% Pref.	2/6	3/6	

TEXTILES AND ARTSILKS.

0/7½	Amalgamated Cotton	0/4½	0/7½	
11 3	Bleachers	12/9	13/6	
17/3	Bradford Dyers	19/0	20/0	
2/6	British Celanese Ord.	8/0	8/9	—0/3
6 0	Do Pref.	6/0	7/0	
7 9	Calico Printers	9/3	9/9	
1⅛	Canadian Celanese	1¼	1½	
41 0	Coats	42/3	43/0*	
31 6	Courtaulds	34/0	34/9	
13/7½	Fine Spinners	16/3	17/0	+0/1½
—	Linen Thread Ord.	23/0	24/0	
14/0	Lister Ord.	14/9	15/9	
—	Snia Viscosa	9/0	10/0	

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	8		Imperial	11/16	
Assam Co.	1 3/16		Jetinga Valley	1⅛	
Assam Consol	1 5/32		Jhanzie	1⅜	
Assam Front'r	1 7/32		Jokai	1⅛	
Bog'want'lawa	3 1/16		Jorehaut	1¾	+1/16
Borelli	1 1/16		Kanan Devan	20½	
Brahmapootra	17½		Lebong	1⅜	
Brit. Indian	1 5/16		Lungla	5/16	
Budla Beta	2½		Makum	⅞	
Ceylon Plant	3⅛		Moabund	2	
Ceylon Prop.	1⅛		Nedeem	1⅝	
Chargola	3/0	—0/9	New Dimbula	4½	
Chubwa	1⅛		Nuwara Eliya	3⅛	
Chulsa	⅞		Ouvah	1⅛	
Co. Tea & L.	8½		Peacock & Nil.	1/3	
Darjeeling Co.	1⅞		Pabbojan	2½	
Do. Consol	2 5/16		Pundaloya	2⅛	
Deundi	1⅛		Rosehaugh Co.	1⅛	
Dimbula Val.	2½		Scottish Assam	1 1/16	
Doom Dooma	1⅝		Scot. T. & Ln.	2⅜	
Doom Dooma	1 3/16		Singlo	1⅛	
E. Assam	1⅝		Sumatra	7/32	
East Produce	2⅛		Travancore	1⅛	
Empire	1⅛	—1/16	Up. Assam	1	
Galaha Ceylon	1 11/16				

TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES, WIRELESS

21	Anglo-American Def.	21½	22½	
44	Cables & Wireless 5½% Pf.	47½	48½	— ¼
16	Do. 7½% "A" Ord.	16¾	17¾	— ¼
9	Do. "B" Ord.	10	11	— ¼
1 11/32	Marconi Marine	1 7/16	1½	— 1/32
6/3	Do. Canada	5/16	7/16	+ 1/32
—	Oriental Telephone	1 15/16	2 3/16	
13⅛	Radio Corporation	10¾	11	— 1
7	Do. Pref.	6	8	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

6 7½	African and East. Trade	1/4½	1/10½	
25/0	Associated Cement	26/0	27/0	
21/0	Associated Electric Ind.	22/3	23/3	
3/4½	Baird Television Pf. Ord	3/7½	3/10½	
9/6	Borax Con. Def.	10 3	11/3	+0/3
17½	Brazilian Traction	17	17¼	— 5/16
3 31/32	British-American Tobacco	3 31/32	4	— 1/32
26/3	British Aluminium	27/0	28/0	
4/3	British Inter. Pict. (5/-)	4/4½	4/10½	
33/0	British Match	33/9	35/0	—0/3
2⅛	British Portland Cement	2 5/16	2 7/16	
31/3	British Oil and Cake	31/6	32 6	+1/0
56/6	Callenders Cable	57/0	57/6	—0/9
—	Canadian Car	8	10	
3⅛	Carreras	3¾	4	
—	Crittall's Manufacturing	8/9	9/9	
2/7½	Crystalate Gramo. Ord.	2/6	3/0	
10/0	Dunlop Rubber	11/0	11/6	—0/3
10/6	Electric and Musical	12/9	13/9	—0/4½
19/0	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	19/3	20/3	
22/0	Ever Ready	23/9	24/3	
29/0	Ford Motor	28/9	29/0	+0/6
—	Gallaher Ord.	1 11/16	1 13/16*	
42/0	General Electric Ord.	42/6	43/6	
—	Harland Wolff Pref.	1/9	2/9	
48/0	Harrod's Stores	73/0	74/0	—0/3
9/0	Harrod's (B.A.)	7/6	8/6	
5 1/16	Henley's Telegraph	5	5½	
—	Imperial Airways	14/9	15/3	
—	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	4 1/32	4 3/32	— 1/32
4	Do. Canada	37/6	38/6	
13/9	Imp. Chem. Indus. Ord.	16/7½	16/10½	—0/3
—	Do. Def.	4/4½	4/7½	—0/1½
1⅛	Internl. Holdings Ord.	1⅛	1¼	
11	International Nickels	11 5/16	11 9/16	— 5/16
22/0	Johnson and Phillips	20/9	21/9	—0/3
6¾	Kreuger and Toll	6⅝	6⅞	— ⅛
12/0	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	22/9	23/3	—0/3
3/9	Napier Ord. (5/-)	4/3	4/9	
—	North American Co.	48	53	—2
0/6	Parent Trust Def.	—	1/0	
3/9	Platt Bros. Ord.	3/3	3/9	
—	Reckitt Ord.	3 5/32	3 7/32	
12/0	Roneo	8/6	9/6	
1 3/16	Salt Union	28/0	29/6	
—	San Paulo Tram Deb.	73	78	
28	Shawinigan Water Com.	28	30	
5 3/16	Swedish Match B.	4⅛	4⅜	— ⅛
—	Tate and Lyle	42/6	43/3	—0/4½
0/7½	Taylor Cash Chem. Def.	0/6	1/0	
—	Tilling Ord.	56/9	57/9	+3/3
—	Tobacco Trust Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	— 1/32
—	Do. Def.	2⅛	2/3	— 1/32
1⅛	Triplex Glass	1 11/16	1¾	— 1/16
1 13/32	Unilever Ord.	1½	1⅝	
1⅜	Do. (N.V.)	1⅛	1 5/16	— 1/32
7/6	United Molasses	10/6	11/0	—0/3
8/3	Vine Products Ord.5/- Sh.	5/6	6/0	
3/7½	Vocalion Gramophone	3 3	4/3	
26/0	Wallpaper Def.	26/0	27/0	
55/3	Woolworth Ord	55/0	56/0	—0/3
3/10½	Do. Pref	22 3	23/0	

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DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKETS.

The following dealings among active Stocks and Shares were "marked" in London on Saturday:—**Consols** (x.d.)—59⅜, ½, ⅜, 5/16, ¼, 9. **5 p.c. War Loan**—101 11/16, 13/16, ⅝, ⅞, 9/16, ¾, 23/32. **Funding Loan**—95¼, ⅞, ½, ⅝, 15/16, 11/16, 13/16, 6. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.** (x.d.)—82¼, ⅛, ⅜, 3/16, ½, 7/16, 1⅞, 2, 3/16. **4 p.c. Consols**—93¾, ⅞, ⅝, 4, 3 5/16, ½, ⅞. **4½ p.c. Treasury Bonds**—100½, 9/16. **Free State Land Bonds**—95¾, 6. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—88¼. **Aerated Bread**—20/4½, 3d. **African and Eastern**—1/8¼, 9¾d. **Allied Newspapers Ord.**—11/-, 7½d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—8/7½, 6d. **Associated Cement**—26/4½. **Associated Newspapers Def.**—16/9, 11¼d., 7½d., *17/-, 17/-, 16/10½. **Bovril Def.** (x.d.)—*27/-. **Brazilian Traction**—17⅝, ⅛, 3/16, ¼. **British-American Tobacco**—*80/9, 1/5¾, 3d., 2/9¾. **British Celanese**—8/4½, 3d., 11½d. **British Oil and Cake**—31/9, 6d. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—37¾. **Cables and Wireless "A"**—17, ½, ⅛, 16¾, ⅞, 17⅛, ⅜; **do. "B"**—10, ⅛, ¾, ¼; **do. 5½ p.c. Pref.**—48¾, 8, ½, ¾, ¼, ⅜, 9. **Calico Printers**—9/6, 7½d. **Canadian Pacific** (x.d.)—24, ¼, 3⅞, ¾, 15/16, *3¾. **Coats** (x.d.)—43/-, 2/10½. **Courtaulds**—*33/5¼, *9d., 9d., 4/-, 3d., *4/-, *4½d., 3/10½. **Crystalate Gramophone**—2/7½, 9d. **Daily Mail Trust**—35/3. **Daily Mirror Ord.**—12/-, 11/7½, 10½d., 6d., *12/-, 11/9. **Dunlop Ord.**—11/-, 6d., *1½d., 4½d., 1½d. **Electric and Musical Ord.**—19/3, 4½d., *6d., 1½d., 7½d., 9d. **Ford Motors**—*27/5, 8/6, 3d. **Gallaher Pref.**—23/10½. **General Electric**—43/4½. **Great Western Rail** (x.d.)—44¼, ¾, ⅝, ⅛, ⅜; **do. 5 p.c. Pref.** (x.d.)—77½, 8¼. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—65. **Guinness Ord.** (x.d.)—83/-, 9d., 1½d. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—2/4½. **Harrods Ord.**—53/6, 4/-. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—20/3. **Hungarian 7½ p.c. 1924**—54/. **Imperial Airways**—15/3. **Imperial Chemical Ord.**—17/-, 16/10½, 8¼d., *11¼d., 9d.; **do. Def.**—4/6, 4½d. **Imperial Tobacco** (x.d. and b.)—81/1½, 3d., 4½d., 6d., 10½d., 9d., 80/11¼. **International Holdings**—11 1/32, ⅜. **International Nickel** (dols.)—11 11/16, ⅜, 9/16, 7/16, ½, ⅜. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—23/-, 1½d., 3d., 2/10½, *9d., *3/-. **London, Midland and Scottish Ord.** (x.d.)—18⅝, ¾, 19, ⅛, ¼, 18⅞. **London and N.E. Pref.-Ord.**—11, ⅛, *11, *10¾, ⅝; **do. Def.-Ord.**—*5, ⅛, ¼. **Malayalam Rubber**—7/9. **Marconi Marine**—29/-. **Maypole Def.**—4/-, 11½d. **Metropolitan Rail** (x.d.)—35½. **P. and O. 5 p.c. Deferred**—22/6. **Roan Antelope**—7/3, 4½d., 6d. **Rubber Trust**—12/7½, 13/. **Southern Rail Pref.-Ord.**—*38⅞; **do. Def.-Ord.**—10⅞, ⅝, ½. **Sudan Plantations**—28/7½, 7/6. **Sunday Pictorial Ord.** 27/-, 6/-, 3d. **Swedish Match "B"**—96/3, 5/-, 2/6, 3/9. **Tobacco Securities Ord.**—55/-; **do. Def.**—55/-. **United Dairies**—38/1½. **Unilever Ord.**—30/3¾, 7½d., *1/-, 30/-; **do. N.V.**—31/10½, 9d., 6¾d., 9d. **United Molasses**—11/1½, 10/10½, *10½d., 6d., 9d., 7½d., 11/-. **United Serdang Rubber**—1/5¼, 6d. **Vickers**—7/3, 4½d., *4½d. **Watney Combe Def.**—42/-, 9d., 3d. 6d. **Westminster Bank**—87/9, 10½d., 8/1½, *7/9. **White Star Pref.**—3/-. **Woolworth Ord.**—*55/-, 6d., 1½d., 3d., 3/-; **do. Pref.**—22/10½, *6d., 7½d., 8¼d.

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FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

VER BROTHERS DEBENTURE ISSUE.
Ve print to-day an offer for sale of 440,000 5 per cent. Consolidated Debenture ck in Lever Brothers, Ltd. Messrs. ard Brothers and Co. are offering the ck at 98 per cent. The issue is being e for the purpose of redeeming 440,000 7 per cent. Debentures, and ders of that issue will be offered the new per cent. Debentures at cent. per cent., a cash payment of £2 per £100. A er from Mr. F. D'Arcy Cooper, the chair- of Lever Brothers Limited, states that book value of the assets of Lever thers Limited, less current liabilities, was 31st December, 1930, the date of the last lished balance sheet, £70,558,677. After yment of £3,440,000 7 per cent. First rtgage Debenture Stock, the only charge king before the Stock now offered will be given to secure the 5 per cent. First rtgage Debenture Stock, of which there is outstanding £3,348,780. The directors satisfied that the aggregate value of the res in and loans to subsidiary companies, res in allied companies, shares in other panies, freehold land, buildings, plant, chinery and leasehold properties, is not than that at which they are included in balance sheet. The profits for 1931 exceed for 1930, which amounted to £6,000,258. will thus be seen that the average profits the company during the years 1928, 1929 1930 available to meet the interest and king fund on the Stock have exceeded 000,000, whereas the annual amount re- red for those purposes is £240,800. The will open to-morrow (Tuesday) and close or before Wednesday.

FUGE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
The accounts of the Refuge Assurance mpany Limited just published show that stantial progress was again made in 1931. ving regard to the existing abnormal con- ions and the uncertain outlook generally, has been deemed prudent to conserve the mpany's resources, and to modify the rate reversionary bonus last allotted; and, cordingly, a bonus in the Ordinary Branch £1 14s. per cent. has been declared on all h profit policies in respect of the year 1. The substantial sum of £766,881 has n carried forward unappropriated. The al premiums received in both branches ounted to £9,223,551, being an increase of 0,793 over the corresponding item for 0, and the total assets now amount to 719,006, having increased during the year £3,350,759. The net interest received ounted to £2,265,147, showing an increase £45,614. The claims paid in the year ounted to £4,923,215, making a grand al of £70,946,838 paid since the office was ablished.

B.A. CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Having now received from the Buenos Aires ntral Railway Company the funds sufficient pay in sterling the half-yearly interest on First debentures due 1st January last, River Plate Trust Loan and Agency mpany, 52 Moorgate, London, E.C.2, is pared to receive coupons for payment. railway company has not yet made pro- on for payment of the coupons in U.S. lars in New York.

DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS
As the outcome of a suggestion by several the largest shareholders, who consider t a distribution of assets would yield sub- ntially more than the present price of the res, a meeting of the British Foreign and lonial Corporation will be held on April 4 consider the voluntary liquidation of the mpany. The proposal, it is gathered, is favoured by the executors of Colonel nsley Fitzgerald and Lord Hindlip, two the directors, who died during the past r, and who were large shareholders. The siness of the corporation has met the full percussion of the economic depression of last two years, its chief business being handling of new issues of the industrial pe, and the small prospect of any im- diate revival in this form of business has doubt influenced the decision to turn the sets into cash. Sir Gilbert Garnsey, of ssrs. Price, Waterhouse, and Co., has, it understood, been invited to accept the sition of liquidator. Inquiries on Satur- elicited the information that the cor- ration has no engagements or liabilities cept to its bankers, who are amply secured. liquidation, which can be carried through th expedition once the shareholders decide, s the full support of Mr. F. A. Szarvasy, chairman and managing director, who is o the largest shareholder.

DEALINGS IN "RUBBISH."
Stock Exchange business showed a welcome crease during the past week, but there is ll room for improvement. Brokers will ed to become very busy indeed before they be compensated for the many months of forced idleness. Business is mainly of an vestment character, which is not the kind at pays the broker best, but it is hoped at speculative dealings will broaden out. the Stock Exchange taking the right steps attract the public? There is, as we have ly too good reason to know, a very bitter eling among those who lost money in the dustrial boom of 1928-29, and who blame e Stock Exchange for not taking sufficient ecautions against permitting dealings in ares of doubtful value, or even worse. ot for the first time the system of "mark- g" bargains has come in for criticism ays *The Sunday Times*). It has un- oubtedly been abused in the past by those ho were attempting to sell worthless shares o the public, but for some time past the Committee has kept a watchful eye on all ew introductions, and on several occasions where there was reason to doubt the *bona fides* of dealings they have either prohibited them altogether or refused permission to mark bargains. The task of discriminating between the sheep and the goats is invidious, and it would be hardly surprising if even now some of the latter should stray into the fold. We do not think the blame rests with that hard-working body of unpaid officials, the Committee for General Purposes, but rather upon the system which invests them with unlimited responsibility and limited re- sources. As was shown by the large attend- ance at Tuesday's meeting, there is no lack of interest in the question of sharing com- mission with the banks and other agents. If the same zeal is displayed in the larger task of rendering Stock Exchange facilities more attractive and accessible to the public there will be no cause for complaint.

BANK RATE POSSIBILITIES.
Now that the 4 per cent. Bank rate has become actual fact, there is a tendency in monetary circles to regard this level with a certain degree of permanence. The trend of official money values is still expected to go downward, but no surprise would be felt if the 4 per cent. Bank rate were to rule for a month or more. The increase in the Treasury bill rate from £2 9s. 9.95d. per cent. to £2 11s. 5.55d. per cent. was more than justified, and even now bill rates are still grossly out of touch with money values as expressed in Bank rate, and the minimum rate for call money at the clearing banks (says *The Observer*). Any implications which the maturing of the 4½ per cent. Treasury Bonds on April 15 next may have had on the trend of the Bank rate now appear to have disappeared. For one thing, dealers in the bonds calculate that the persistent buying by the Government broker has brought something like £90,000,000 of the £116,000,000 in issue under the control of the Treasury in Government departments. Reduction in the interest charge on the bonds would, therefore, be effected internally, and the comparatively small amount remaining in public hands could be dealt with out of ways and means resources.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORTS.

SATURDAY.

Barometer at 1 p.m.—30.
Wind and Weather—Easterly wind, light breeze;

Foreign Arrival—Orlock Head, of Belfast, 841 register, Captain Bingham, from Hamburg and Bremen, via Cork, with general cargo.
Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Leinster, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Lairdshill, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; Slieve Bawn, [illegible] Bloom, from Holyhead, with goods; Ebbrix, from Grimsby, with malt; Sprayville, from Ellesmere Port, with asphalt; Clarecastle, from Manchester, with empties; Carrowdore, from Liverpool, with empties; Beechfield, Gertie, from Whitehaven, with coal; Amy Summerfield, from Ardrossan, with coal; Cairngorm, from Ayr, with coal; Bronzite, from Newport, with coal.

SUNDAY.

Barometer at 1 p.m.—30.10
Wind and Weather—E.S.E. wind, fresh breeze;

Foreign Arrival—Shenandoah, of Wilmington (U.S.), 3,974 tons register, from Port Arthur, via Antwerp, with a cargo of petroleum.
Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Munster, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Lairdsford, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; Assaroe, from Silloth, with passengers and goods; Finola, from Cardiff, with goods; Lady Galway, Wexford, from Liverpool, with goods; Runnelstone, from Rochester, with asphalt; Irene, from Bridgwater, with bricks; Mondara, from Preston, with [illegible]; Weatherfield, St. Oran, Ruby, from Ayr, with coal; St. Fintan, from Cardiff, with coal; Point [illegible], from Point of Aire, with coals; Madie, from Workington, with coal; Glengarry, from [illegible], with coal; Turquoise, from Irvine, with [illegible]; [illegible], from Newport, with coal; [illegible] Glasgow, with coal.

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Norwich—Advance in price of Stores. Doncaster—Cattle firm. Carlisle—Better prices for Irish Stores. Wheat easier. Rubber lower.

CATTLE.

CARLISLE.—The supply of Irish cattle at the sands market on Saturday showed a reduction to 800. In consequence of the smaller number imported there was an improved demand at slightly increased prices. Two-year-old heifers were quoted at £13 to £16 10/-, heifers for short keep £16 10/- to £18, polled bullocks £16 to £18, stripping cows £14 to £15.

NORWICH.—An average show of beef was brought forward to-day, and 38/- to 48/- per cwt. live-weight was made. A larger display of store cattle was on offer, and better bullocks sold readily at a slight advance in price, £14 to £21 10/- being realised. Veal was in fair request at 1/1 per lb. A large entry of sheep ruled firmer, being a little higher for all saleable animals. Best made up to 9½d., larger sheep from 8d. to 8½d., and ewes were dearer at 7d. per lb. A few lambs changed hands at 1/2 per lb. An average supply of pigs met a good enquiry. Londoners and cutters and small grade baconers ruled dearer at 8/- to 9/- per stone. Fat sows were also dearer at £10. At market—Cattle, 2,000; sheep, 1,246, and lambs 1,000.

DONCASTER.—Best bullocks £20, two-year-olds £18, stirks £14 10/-, best dairy cows £22, calving heifers £24, old cows from £16; sucking pigs 8/- to 13/-, strong pigs up to 50/-. Good supplies.

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" " 6 " ...	57/-	" "
" " 8 " ...	52/-	" "
" " 13 " ...	48/-	" "
" " 14 " ...	46/-	" "
Heavy Pigs and Sows.	39/-	

All subject to our terms of buying.—(Advt.)

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GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC).—WHEAT—Cargoes—No. 2 Northern Manitoba (Pacific shipment) March sellers 31/9, New South Wales March 28/3, West Australian afloat 28/3, March also April 28/6, South Australian afloat also March 28/6, Victorian March 28/6, Rosafe 64lb. March 27/-, Barusso 63½lb. afloat 27/9. Parcels—No. 1 Northern Manitoba (Vancouver shipment) March sellers 33/-, No. 2 ditto 31/-, No. 3 29/9, No. 4 Manitoba 29/3, South Australian shipping/shipped also March 28/3, New South Wales March 28/3, Victorian March 28/3, West Australian shipping/shipped also March 28/6, April 28/9, Rosafe 64lb. March 26/3, Barusso 64lb. March 27/9, Baril 64lb. shipping/shipped 26/6 per 480lb. Futures—Quotations—Per qr. of 480lb. Manitoba grade March 29/10, May 29/3, July 29/7¼, November 30/4, London grade June 26/1¼, September 26/8¼. Liverpool Options—Quiet and easier. Quotations—Per cent. 1 of 100lb. March 5/3¼, May 5/5¼, July 5/7¼, October 5/10. MAIZE—Cargoes. Plate March sellers 21/9, April new 20/-, April-May 19/6, May-June 19/6, June-July 19/6. Parcels held for 1½d. advance on better Plate cables. Plate afloat sellers 20/-, February-March 20/4½, March 20/6, April 19/6 paid, April-May, May-June, June-July and July-August sellers 19/- per 480lb.

LIVERPOOL.—**WHEAT**—There was no special feature to materially affect the wheat situation here on Saturday, and with an apathetic feeling forward deliveries were the turn easier at the outset, further receded in the absence of support, and showed a moderate depreciation from Friday night at the finish. C.i.f. parcels wheat neglected, nominally unchanged to 3d. lower. No. 2 Manitoba March quoted 32/-, and Rosario Santa Fe (64lb.) March 25/9 per quarter, c.i.f. parcels River Plate. MAIZE shortly due sold at 20/7½, April 19/6 and April-May 19/- to 19/1½ per quarter. Wheat on the spot quiet and unaltered. Maize—Spot parcels River Plate steady at 4/7 to 4/7½ per cental. Flour quiet at late rates. Graded wheat futures opened ½d. per cental lower, further receded slightly, eventually closing quiet and ½d. to ¾d. under Friday night's values. March 5/3½, May 5/5½, July 5/7¾, October 5/10 per cental. Sales—50 loads at 5/5½, ¼d. for May, 5/1½ July, and 5/10¼, 5/10 for October delivery.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—**BACON**—Continental meets a fair demand, especially for Danish, and official prices are steadily maintained for all selections. Irish, American and Canadian rule quiet at recent currencies. American rib backs 73/- to 76/- per cwt. HAMS quiet, but long cut steady, with stocks in small compass. Shoulders scarce and nominal. LARD on the spot steady at late rates for both prime steam and American refined, but buyers operate only for their actual needs. CHEESE steady, with a moderate demand for New Zealand at the recent decline. BUTTER steady, with an improved tone, the lower prices now ruling stimulating buyers. EGGS steady at 9/6 to 9/9 for extra selected Irish hen, 9/- to 9/3 selected, and 8/6 to 9/- for mediums per 120, duck remaining nominal. Saturday's imports into Liverpool (cwts.)—Lard, 500; cheese, 659; butter, 100.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Cabbage again in heavy supply; choice loads somewhat scarce and keenly bid for; interior sorts any price to clear. French cauliflowers are getting preference over the home-grown article, and prices continue to drop for the latter. Swedes and mangolds, on the whole, proved a steady sale; other classes readily cleared without any material change in values. York cabbage 15/- to 35/-, extra up to 43/- large load, small 5/- to 10/-, extra 15/- to 18/-; Savoy best 20/- to 30/-, extra 40/- to 50/-, small 16/- to 24/-, inferior 2/- to 10/- and 13/-; swedes 1/2 to 1/7 cwt., according to quantity and quality; mangolds 1/3 to 1/4, celery 1/- to 1/6 bunch, cauliflowers best 3/- to 3/6 dozen, seconds 10d. to 1/-; lettuce 10d. to 1/-, radishes 9d. to 1/2, beet 2/- to 2/3, parsnips 10d. to 1/-, bags 3/- to 4/-; carrots 2/- to 2/3, bags 4/6 to 9/-; leeks 2/- to 2/3 dozen, white turnips 3d. to 4d. bunch, jellies 4d. to 5d., scallions 6d. to 10d. bunch, and parsley 4d. to 6d. tray.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Demand improved, but supplies still in excess of all requirements, at last day's prices—namely, 3/- per cwt., best table qualities.

CORK BUTTER.—The market continues unchanged. Creameries 165/- per cwt.

DUBLIN FISH.—On offer: 25 packages salmon, 4 chests lobster, and a good supply from country and local senders. Demand poor, at the following: Salmon 1/9 to 1/11 per lb., lobsters 12/6 to 18/- per 13 large, medium 7/6 to 10/-, small 2/6 to 5/-; soles 20/- to 25/- per 9 pairs large, medium 10/- to 12/6, slips 2/6 to 5/-; turbot 6d. to 10/- each, brill 6d. to 3/-, plaice 15/- to 35/- half-box, cod 15/- to 18/-, whiting 6/- to 9/-, and ray 10/- to 15/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Salmon—English 1/8 to 1/9, Scottish 1/10 to 2/-, Irish 1/7 to 1/9; soles 11d. to 2/-, and slips 1/- to 1/10 per lb.; live eels 10/- to 28/- and dead 8/- to 22/- per draught; turbot 11/- to 15/-, plaice 6/- to 11/-, halibut 14/- to 16/-, lemon soles 8/- to 12/-, hake 9/- to 12/-, skate wings 3/- to 8/-, and haddocks 2/- to 6/- per stone.

PRODUCE.

LIVERPOOL.—CANE SUGAR firm, with sellers basis 96 deg. pol. 5/4½ per cwt. c.i.f. to U.K. March-April shipments. COCOA—West African on spot quiet. Forward shipments unchanged. Sellers good fermented Accra March-April 30/- and April-May 30/3, and Lagos f.a.q. March-April and April-May 28/-, with buyers at 6d. less per 50 kilos c.i.f. Continent. Sellers "A" clause February-March shipment 31/6 per cwt. ex quay terms Liverpool. Buyers indifferent. Futures firm, with a quiet business passing, closing with buyers at 28/3 March, 28/6 May, 29/10½ July, 30/4½ September, 30/7½ October, and 30/10½ December, being unchanged to 4½d. advance on the previous close. Business done in September at 30/3 per cwt. RICE—Burmah No. 2 forward shipments quoted 10/1½ to 10/7½ cwt. c.i.f., according to position. HEMP—Manila quiet. Buyers March-May K grade £17 15/- c.i.f., with sellers 2/6 to 5/- per ton more. SAGO FLOUR—Sarawak on spot nominally 10/9 ex store, and forward shipments quiet at 8/3 per cwt. c.i.f. JAPANESE PEAS on spot held for £23 15/- to £25, and forward parcels March-April shipments £23 10/- to £26 per ton c.i.f. BEANS—New crop hand-picked Rangoon unchanged at £9 15/- c.i.f. March-April, and 10 ton lots Chilian white Pallares £16 per ton c.i.f. in forward positions. Madagascar butter ex store quoted 23/- and forward shipments c.i.f. 22/- per cwt. HONEY—Chilian forward shipments, average pile 3, unchanged at 24/- per cwt. c.i.f. for 10 ton lots. RICE BRAN—Burmah steady but quiet at £4 18/9 per ton March-June shipments ex ship terms. LOCUST BEANS—Cyprus ex store unaltered at £5 10/- for bags, and c.i.f. parcels in bulk forward shipment quoted £4 10/- per ton.

OIL CAKES—All brands imported descriptions rather slow of sale. Linseed remain at £8 American and £8 5/- River Plate c.i.f., and Egyptian undecorticated cottonseed £4 10/- ex ship, March shipments. Burmah ground nut quoted £6 10/- 39 per cent. and £7 15/- nominal 49 per cent. Jungle c.i.f. forward shipments. Liverpool palm kernel cakes and crushed and sweetened crushed meals steady at £6 10/-, and cocoanut cake and meals £7 5/-, and Liverpool made cottonseed meals £7 10/- 49 per cent. and £7 per ton 42 per cent., all ex mills. LINSEED steady, quiet, £8 15/- per ton March-April shipments River Plate. COTTON-SEED quiet. Brazil f.a.q. forward nominal value £5 per ton ex ship. PALM KERNELS quiet, sellers March-April-April-May shipments £11 16/3, and buyers £11 15/- per ton. PALM KERNEL OIL unaltered at £24, extracted £25, crushed crude G.M.Q. and deodorised £28 10/- per ton, all naked ex mill Liverpool. GROUND NUT OIL remains at £39 10/- per ton Liverpool deodorised naked ex mill. COPRA OIL without further change at £26 per ton Liverpool crushed crude naked ex mill. COCOANUT OIL—Ceylon forward shipments quiet, steady at £29 mill and £29 10/- white c.i.f. Liverpool in drums, and Liverpool made deodorised £31 per ton naked ex mill.

SEED OILS—Cottonseed shows no change at 25/- common edible and 27/- deodorised, net naked ex mill, and linseed steady at 20/- raw, 22/- per cwt. boiled spot covered in barrels, Liverpool. PALM OIL slow. Soft oils sold April-May £17 10/-, sellers March-April, April-May shipments £17 10/- per ton transit option to Liverpool. TALLOW slow. S. American April 24/6 c.i.f. quoted No. 1 Frigorific. Australian good colour mixed quoted 25/- to 25/6 per cwt., c.i.f. forward. CASTOR OIL—English made steady at £41 10/- seconds, £43 10/- firsts, and £46 10/- pharmacy ex mills Hull in barrels. RUBBER—Hard fine Para spot steady 4d. Plantation, buyers spot 2½d., April-June 2½d., July-September 2¼d., October-December 2½d., January-March 2⅝d. per lb. NITRATE OF SODA—Ordinary quality in quiet request; March-June deliveries £9 per ton quoted, carriage paid in single bags 6-ton lots and over. CUTCH—Spot holders experience a quiet demand; prices steady at 30/- to 32/6 per cwt. for Burmah. Gum—Niger Arabic spot unaltered at 10/- to 35/- per cwt. as in quality, but buyers' interest small. GAMBIER—Block for shipment c.i.f. terms 37/6 per cwt., repeated; values nominal for spot block and No. 1 cubes owing to scarcity. ROSIN steady; 15/- F.G., 24/- W.G., 26/- per cwt. W.W. American spot. TURPENTINE firm at 63/- per cwt. spot duty paid. PETROLEUM—Refined oils spot steady at 8d. to 9d. bulk, 10d. to 11d. per gallon barrels American.

LIVERPOOL SUGAR.—The following are Messrs. Tate and Lyle's quotations, ex refinery Liverpool, less 1½ per cent. discount:—Crystals—Ones 22/-, small ones 21/6, twos 20/3, bright 20/1½. Granulated—Standard 19/10½, H.T.S. 20/-, coarse 20/4½, fine 20/4½, superfine 20/9. Yellows—Thirds 19/9, fourths 18/3, primrose 17/3, canary 15/10½. Cubes, ex refinery in London less 1½ per cent. discount:—Afternoon tea 25/6, No. 1 23/3, H.T.S. 23/-.

LONDON.—**SUGAR**—Raw refining kinds are freely offered at the recent lower level of prices. Terminal market steadier, but business generally quiet. Raws—May sold 5/3¼, August 5/6, 5/7 to 5/6¼, December 5/9, 5/10, 5/9¾ per cwt. COCOA—Accra F.F. March-May quoted 27/- f.o.b. terms, Accra G.F. March-May quoted 30/-. April-June 30/3 c.i.f. Terminal steadier, with a fair demand. March sold 30/6, May 30/6, July 30/9, September 31/1¼ to 31/- per cwt. Sales, 140 tons. RICE—Rangoon two stars spot London 10/6, March 10/-, April 10/3 c.i.f. London. SPICE—Pepper—Black Lampong March-May sellers 6¼d., April-June 6¼d., white Muntok March-May also April-June quoted 7¾d. Cloves, Zanzibar spot sellers 8½d. per lb. Tapioca—Singapore flake to Havre March-April quoted 11/3 per cwt. JUTE—First to Continent March-April sellers £19, April-May sold £19 2/6, May-June quoted £19 7/6, lightnings March-April quoted £17 12/6, hearts March-April quoted £16 5/-, daisee March-April quoted £16 10/-, Tossa ditto £17 10/- per ton. RUBBER—After a steady opening, market closed quieter. Plantation standard sheet spot also March sold 2⅞d. to 2⅝d., April-June 2½d. to 2⅞d., July-September 2½d. to 2⅝d., October-December 2½d. to 2 11/16d., January-March 2½d. to 2 11/16d. per lb.

LONDON HIDES AND LEATHER.

SPECIAL REPORT.

All descriptions of hides sold very slowly during the past week, the demand showing no response to the reasonable rates now ruling. Best clear ox 70lb. and up ranged from 5d. to 5½d., while 69lb. and under sold at 3½d. up to 4½d., and cows at about 3½d. to 3¾d. Calf had a fair inquiry, with 9/16lb. sold at 5½d. to 6½d. Frigorifics were a slow market, and there was very little done in miscellaneous hides. B.A. Americanos sold at 6¾d., and dry first Capes at 6½d. Dull conditions ruled in the market for sole leather, and even repairing bends were in very slow request. The demand has been mainly for small parcels for manufacturing purposes, there being an absence of bulk buying. Prices remain comparatively low, and much of the business was done below 18d. per lb. Offal and rough leather met a moderate trade at barely steady prices on home account, but export business continued decidedly slow. A fairly active demand was experienced for upper leathers, with black kid the chief attraction, while brown shades of kid and patent were in very quiet request. Reptiles were in fair demand, but the prices asked tended to restrict business.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BUSHELL, WATKINS AND SMITH.—Interim of 2½ per cent., less tax, on Ordinary, against 5 per cent.

GODFREY PHILLIPS.—Godfrey Phillips, the tobacco and cigarette manufacturers, are able to report a net trading profit of £150,166 for 1931, despite difficult conditions, culminating in an increased duty on cigarettes in the last quarter of the year, which competition necessitated being carried by the company. The corresponding net balance for the previous year was £178,810. The profits do not include those of certain of the subsidiaries, which have not been declared as dividends at the date of the balance sheet. There is, add the directors, no immediate sign of easier trading; consequently they propose to lower the dividend on the Ord. to 5 per cent. from 10 per cent.; reserve is to be brought up to £950,000 by the allocation of £6,183, and the carry-forward increased to £24,572 from £17,111 brought in. The customary practice of sending out the balance sheet of Abdulla and Co. with the report has this time been found impracticable, because of foreign factories and interests delaying its preparation.

CITY OF LONDON REAL PROPERTY.—The directors of the City of London Real Property Co. announce that, owing to the necessity of providing liquid resources for the furtherance of future development, they do not intend recommending a final dividend exceeding 1½ per cent. on the Ord. shares, payable in June next. This, with the interim payments, will make a total dividend of 5 per cent. for the year. Last year the final distribution on the £8,000,000 of Ord. capital was 1½ per cent., making 5½ per cent. The company owns freehold and leasehold property in the City of London and the entire share capital of the London Office Co. and the City and Westminster Properties.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ASSURANCE.—For 1931 surplus £410,203, as compared with £319,312 last year, while the amount available in the appropriation fund is larger than in the previous year. The directors consider that, in view of the depreciation of the Corporation's investments, it would be prudent to strengthen the Corporation's resources by substantial additions to its reserves, and they accordingly recommend a further dividend of 2/6 per share, less tax, making 4/6 per share, less tax, for the year, against 5/- in 1930. £100,000 to investment reserve and £50,482 to general reserve.

GREAT WESTERN TEA OF CEYLON.—Final dividend of 15 per cent., making 30 per cent. for year.

GREAT EASTERN TRAIN FERRIES.—A dividend of 5d per share. £7,126 forward.

GIBBONS DUDLEY.—A dividend of 5 per cent. on the Ordinary Shares, less tax 6 per cent. Forward, £10,134.

INTERNATIONAL NICKEL COMPANY OF CANADA.—Dividend at 7 per cent. per annum on Preferred Stock for quarter.

KETTON PORTLAND CEMENT.—Dividend at the rate of 7½ per cent. per annum in respect of the six months ended December 31, 1931, on the 7½ per cent. Participating Preference Shares, and an interim of 2½ per cent. on the Ordinary Shares, both less tax. (No Ordinary interim last year.)

LONDON BORDER AND GENERAL TRUST.—Net revenue for year to January 31 was £49,744 (against £68,299). Preference dividend takes £34,219. Ordinary dividend 2½ per cent. (against 5 per cent.), forward £10,797 (against £6,855). Discount on Debenture stock has been written down to £10,000 by transfer of £6,946 from general reserve. Previous year £10,000 was written off from revenue. Valuation of investments shows a depreciation of 47 per cent. (against 29 per cent. last year) on amount shown on balance sheet.

MACDONALD, FRASER AND CO.—Profit for year to January 31 was £4,756 (against £9,018). Outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease and fall in stock values account for fall in revenue. No Ordinary dividend is recommended (last year 5½ per cent.), and, after Preference dividend for year, £462 (against £1,041) is carried forward.

NESTLE-ANGLO-SWISS CONDENSED MILK.—Ordinary shareholders are again to receive a total dividend of frs. 32 per share. Profits in 1931 frs. 21,277,372, against frs. 25,382,777 in 1930. Statutory reserve receives a further frs. 1,100,000; frs.4,477,224 carried forward, against frs.5,327,570 brought in.

PENRIKYBER NAVIGATION COLLIERY.—Accounts for 1931 show a net loss of £22,549 (against a profit of £4,740 for 1930). Deducting the credit of £9,229 brought in leaves a debit of £14,319 to carry forward. No dividend. (As last year.)

RANSOMES AND RAPIER.—Profit for year £24,194 against £25,139. Ordinary dividend reduced from 7 per cent. to 6 per cent., tax free, and, after again placing £10,000 to general reserve, there remains a balance of £18,118 to go forward.

RADIATION, LTD.—For 1931 income amounted to £293,754, a decline of £2,000 on the income received during 1930. It is proposed to maintain the Ordinary dividend for the fifth successive year at 12½ per cent., leaving £199,711 to go forward, against £167,080 brought in.

SALT UNION.—Profits of Salt Union for 1931 increased to £193,803 from £177,953, and the net available balance was £167,036, compared with £158,379. It is proposed to maintain the Ordinary distribution at 9 per cent. and to add £10,000 this time to contingencies account. Preference dividend takes £70,000, and, after allocating £1,000 to staff fund, the balance of £14,036 (against £15,379) is to be carried forward.

SWAN HUNTER AND WIGHAM RICHARDSON.—Net profits for 1931 of Swan Hunter and Wigham Richardson, the shipbuilders and engineers, of Wallsend-on-Tyne, amounted to £164,576, a decrease of £7,331 on the previous year's balance. With the larger sum brought in, the total available profit after Debenture service is slightly higher at £195,587, against £195,257. The directors propose to pay a final dividend of 2 per cent. on the Ord. (against 3 per cent.), making 5 per cent. (against 6 per cent.) for the year. The balance forward, after Pref. dividends, is raised to £62,644 from £45,203. During the year the company launched fourteen ships and a large floating dock. The combined tonnage amounted to 87,496 tons.

UNITED CARLO, GATTI, STEVENSON, AND SLATERS.—A final dividend of 6 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary, making 10 per cent., less tax, for the year. Forward, £22,329. (Last year 12½ per cent.)

WARWICKS AND RICHARDSONS.—Interim of 3 per cent., less tax, on Ordinary, against 4 per cent.

SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM LLOYD'S.)

HOME MOVEMENTS.

City of Cork, for Rouen, left Glasgow March 10.
City of Antwerp, passed Dungeness westwards March 11.
Carrickmore, from Limerick, arrived Swansea March 10.
Carnalea, from Portrieux, arrived Swansea March 11.
Clonlee, for Sables, left Swansea March 10.
Sanda, from Waterford, arrived Plymouth March 10.
Toward, for Waterford, left Plymouth March 11.
Druidstoke, from Cork, arrived Penarth March 11.
Lady Emerald passed Lizard eastwards March 11.
Treherbert, from Belfast, arrived Liverpool March 11.
Bronzite, from Dublin, arrived Newport March 10 and returned same day.
Beeston, from Cork, arrived Newport March 10.
Palm, from Bideford, arrived Newport March 11, and left for Dublin same day.
Kyanite, from Waterford, arrived Newport March 11.
Kathleen, from Rouen, arrived Sheerness March 11.
Redvers Buller, from Dublin, arrived Cardiff March 10.
St. Fintan, from Dublin, arrived Cardiff March 10.
Sagenite, from Dublin, arrived Cardiff March 10.
Trevidor, from Cork, arrived Cardiff March 10.
Edith May, for Wexford, left Cardiff March 10.
Halton, for Cork, left Liverpool March 11.
Monksville, for Dundalk, left Liverpool March 12.
Cushendun, London for Clyde, passed Lizard March 12.
Kilrea, London for Douglas, passed Lizard March 12.
Halvard Bratt, Limerick for Sunderland, passed Dunnet Head March 11.
Varna, Gothenburg for Belfast, passed Dunnet Head March 11.

FOREIGN MOVEMENTS.

Pencarrow, for Belfast, left Buenos Ayres March 10.
Tadorna, for Belfast, left Flushing March 10 and passed Lizard March 11.
City of Antwerp, for Dublin, left Flushing March 11.

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

HEAVY SELLING OF KREUGER AND TOLL: STEADY CLOSE.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

NEW YORK, Saturday.

The Stock Exchange opened steady. The narrow and professional character of the market does not appear to have been changed by yesterday's dribbling liquidation, though there is still a tendency to even-up commitments.

The tone of the market subsequently stiffened slightly as shorts took their rather meagre profits.

A feature of the market was the heavy selling of Kreuger and Toll stock, which yielded fractionally. Kreugers were aversely affected by the omission of the dividends on the concerns' block of International Telephone stock, and its far-flung operations have been hampered by the monetary difficulties of the various countries in which the Swedish Match group is interested.

The inability of Railroads to follow the recent advance was again emphasised as an unfavourable technical factor. While the railways are now benefitting from the wage-cut, the heavy applications for loans from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation present a none too-encouraging picture of the railway financial situation. The market closed steady.

	Sat. Nominal	Fri. 2½p.m.
Call Money	—	—
Exchange on Lon.—60 days' sight	—	—
Do. Do. Demand Bills	3.62⅞	3.62⅞
Cable Transfers	3.62⅞	3.62⅞
Do. Montreal	4.04½	4.05⅞
Exchange Paris cable	3.92¾	3.92⅞

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid. Sat.	Fri.
113 [illegible]	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe...	82	80¾
112 [illegible]	Do. Preferred	81½	81⅛
22⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	17	17⅝
[illegible]	Canadian Pacific (New Stock)	17¼	17¼
[illegible]	Chesapeake and Ohio Com.	22⅞	22⅛
3½	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	2⅞	2¾
11⅛	Chicago and North-West	8⅞	8⅞
11	Erie Shares	8	8
14	Erie 1st Preferred	10¼	8
18⅛	Illinois Central	13⅞	14
[illegible]	Louisville and Nashville	22½	22½
10⅛	Missouri Pacific	7⅛	7⅞
41⅛	New York Central & Hudson R.	30⅝	30¼
165⅝	Norfolk and West Com.	119	118
27⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	20	19¾
[illegible]	Pennsylvania Shares	19⅝	18⅞
41⅛	Reading Shares	35	35
[illegible]	Southern Pacific	28⅞	28¾
12⅛	Southern Railway	9½	9⅛
112 [illegible]	Union Pacific	81⅛	81
[illegible]	American Can. (New Stock)	60¾	60¾
[illegible]	American Smelting (New Stock)	15	15
[illegible]	Anaconda Copper	10	9⅞
[illegible]	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	21¼	20⅞
[illegible]	Consolidated Gas (New York)	65⅞	63¼
[illegible]	General Electric (New Stock)	21	20⅞
[illegible]	General Motors (New)	20⅞	20¼
4¼	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	3	3
11⅞	International Nickel	8⅞	8½
121 [illegible]	National Lead	87	87
[illegible]	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	17	17
[illegible]	Radio Corporation	7⅞	8
27 [illegible]	Royal Dutch Petroleum	20⅞	20½
[illegible]	Shell Transport and Trading	13⅛	13⅞
[illegible]	Shell Union Oil	4	4¼
[illegible]	U.S. Rubber	4⅞	4¾
64¼	United States Steel Common	46⅞	46½
140 [illegible]	Do. Preferred	102⅛	102
16⅞	Brazilian Traction	12⅛	12¼
19¼	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	14½	14⅝
14	Hydro. Electric	10¼	10¼
14	International Pet., Canada, New	10⅛	10⅛
	Silver Commercial Bars	29⅞	29⅞
	BONDS.		
135 [illegible]	U.K. 5½ % Bonds, 1937	98⅛	98
—	Do. Funding Loan 4 %	—	—
—	Do. War Loan 5 %	—	—
134 [illegible]	U.S. Treasury 3¾ % Bds., '46-56	97⅛	97⅛
88¼	7 % German External Loan	63	64⅞

SUPPLEMENTARY NEW YORK PRICES.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

Stocks.	Sat.	Fri.
Air Reduction	56¼	55⅞
Allied Chemical	87¼	85½
American Super Power	5⅛	5½
American Tel. and Tel.	129¾	128¾
American Tobacco "B"	82⅛	82¾
American Waterworks	35	35⅜
Brasil Stab. 6½ p.c., 1957	[illegible]	[illegible]
Case Threshing	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chrysler Corp.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Drug Incorp.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Du Pont	[illegible]	[illegible]
Eastman Kodak	[illegible]	[illegible]
Electric Bond and Share	[illegible]	[illegible]
Electric Power and Light	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gillette Safety Razor	[illegible]	[illegible]
Goodyear Tyre	17⅞	17½
International Harvester	23⅛	23½
International Tel. and Tel.	9½	9⅝
Johns-Manville	18¾	18⅝
Kennecott Copper	9¾	9⅞
Kreuger and Toll	5	5⅜
Liggett and Myers "B"	58¼	58½
Lambert Co.	53⅞	52¼
McKeesport Tin	55	54¼
Montgomery Ward	10⅛	9⅞
National Biscuit	45	44¾
National Cash Register	12	12¼
National Dairy Products	29½	28⅞
National Power and Light	14⅝	14⅝
North America Company	37½	36⅝
Paramount Publix	9⅝	9⅛
Public Service of New Jersey	58	57⅛
Radio Corp. of America	8	8⅛
Radio Keith Orpheum	12	12
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	38⅝	38¾
Royal Dutch	20½	20½
Sears Roebuck	33⅞	33⅝
Standard Gas and Electric	31⅝	31¼
Standard Oil of N.J.	30	19⅞
Union Carbide	33⅞	33⅝
United Corp.	9½	9¾
United Gas Improvement	20⅝	20¼
Vanadium Corp.	16¾	16¼
Westinghouse Electric	29⅞	29⅝
Woolworth	43⅞	43½

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Eng. Equiv.	Stocks and Shares.	Clos'g Prices Sat.	Fri.
3⅛	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd	2⅝	2¾
134 15/16	Bell Telephone Co. of Canada	109	110
16 15/16	Brazilian T. L. & P. Co., Ltd	13⅞	13⅞
7 15/16	Canadian Car Common	6½	6½
18 11/16	Do. Preferred	15⅜	15⅜
8 3/16	Canada Cement Co., Ltd.	6¾	6¾
23½	Canadian Pacific Railway	19	19
9/16	Canada Power & Paper Corp.	½	½
2¾	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd	2¼	2¼
—	Do. Preferred	—	—
87⅛	Con. Mining & Smelting Co of Canada, Ltd.	70½	70⅛
2⅛	Dominion Steel "B"	1⅞	1⅞
—	Dominion Textile Co., Ltd.	—	—
6 5/16	Hollinger Con. Gold Mines	5	5⅛
11¼	Inter. Nickel of Canada, Ltd.	9⅛	9¼
4 7/16	Massey Harris Common	3¾	3⅞
⅞	St. Lawrence Corporation	¾	¾
28 9/16	Steel Co. of Canada, Ltd.	23⅛	23

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT steady, ⅛c. cheaper to ¼c. dearer.

		To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Amber Durum, spot	...	—	—
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	...	—	—
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	...	82½	82⅝
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	...	70¾	70½
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	...	70¾	70½

RYE steady at ⅜c. loss. No. 2 spot, 65⅜.
BARLEY steady, ⅛c. dearer. American malting c.i.f. New York, 59⅜.
MAIZE steady at ⅛c. fall.

	To-day.	Prev. day
Western No. 2 Mixed, spot ...	52⅞	53

LARD steady at late rates. Prime Western steam, 5.60; Middle West, 5.45 to 5.55.
FLOUR steady. Spring clears (100 per cent.), 4.30 to 4.50.
PETROLEUM steady.

		To-day.	Prev. day.
Mid-Continent Crude ...	...	33-33.9	33-33.9
Baume at Well ...	...	71 cents	71 cents
Pennsylvania Crude ...	...	1.35-1.85	1.30-1.85.

COFFEE—
Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	1933 Jan.
To-day	8.23	8.30	8.34	8.38	—	8.40	—
	Mar., 1933—8.42						
Prev. day	8.26	8.28	8.15	8.16	—	8.16	—

SUGAR—The market closed steady, with values unchanged to 1 point down. Spot steady and unaltered; 96 test centrifugal Cuban local spot, 2.77. Approximate day's sales (futures)—28,000 tons.
Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	1933 Jan.
To-day	0.73	0.78	0.84	0.91	0.94	0.96	1.98
	Mar., 1933—1.03						
Prev day	0.73	0.78	0.85	0.91	0.94	0.97	0.99

TALLOW steady. Spot extra loose, 3; spot in tierces, 3⅛.
COTTONSEED OIL—Futures easy. Prime summer yellow spot, 4.00. Closing options—March, 4.00; May, 4.28; July, 4.44; August, 4.40.
SHELLAC—T.N., 12¼.
TURPENTINE—Spot, 45¼; Savannah spot, 40¼.
METALS.—Straits Tin steady. Spot and near by New York, 22.00. Future option—April, 22.10. Lead steady; spot New York, 3.25; spot East St. Louis, 3.05. Pig Iron steady; Northern No. 2 plain, f.o.b. furnace Eastern Pennsylvania, 16.52; No. 2 plain Buffalo (delivery Boston), 19.79. Copper—The U.S. Copper Export Association quotes copper c.i.f. Hamburg—March-April-May, 6.62½.

NATIONAL METAL EXCHANGE.

TIN quiet. Closing options—May, 22.15; July, 22.55; Oct., 23.15. COPPER quiet. Standard new contract—Closing options—May, 5.10; Sept., 5.30; Dec., 5.45.
COTTON (New York)—Spot quiet and unaltered; spot middling, 7.05. Cotton (New Orleans)—Spot finished unchanged; spot middling, 6.97.
RUBBER very quiet. First latex thin crepe spot, 4⅝ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets spot, 3½ buyers, 3⅝ sellers.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged. Price fluctuations were extremely narrow, but declines occurred owing to lower cable advices and a small export demand. The market was further depressed by a poor speculative interest, and at the close was barely steady, futures being ⅛c. lower to unchanged. Opening options—May 67, July 68¾, Oct. 70⅛. Closing options—May 67, July 68¾, Oct. 70⅛. Rye barely steady, ⅜c. to 1⅛c. cheaper. Closing options—May 52⅜, July 53¾, Oct. 54⅜. Oats steady at ⅛c. decline. Closing options—May 32⅜, July 32⅜, Oct. unquoted. Barley barely steady, ¼c. to ⅜c. down. Closing options—May 43⅜, July 43⅛, Oct. 42½. Flaxseed steady at 1c. loss. Closing options—May 105, July 105½, Oct. unquoted.

Wheat receipts (carlots).			To-day	Prev. day
No. 1 Northern	...	...	21	43
No. 2 Northern	...	...	72	153
No. 3 Northern	...	...	10	54
No. 4 Northern	...	...	3	10
Other grades	...	...	36	91
Total	...	...	142	351

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Saturday.

On the grain market to-day prices fluctuated within extremely narrow limits. There was a lack of any definite trend, as operators are awaiting developments. Slightly lower cable advices, together with a small export demand, caused values to recede during early trading. Rumours were circulated indicating a possible 50 cents reduction in the German import duty, while reports from St. Louis stated that mills were not purchasing owing to the fact that the Farm Board's donation of 40,000,000 bushels of wheat was affecting the buying of flour. Wheat was depressed by a forecast of warmer weather in the South-West area, coupled with mixed crop advices. Maize eased on a limited cash demand and scattered liquidation. Restricted foreign interest caused rye prices to decline, while oats ruled dull.

WHEAT opened steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged, and closed steady, ⅛c. to ⅝c. higher.

	To-day	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot ...	59	58⅝
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot ...	—	—

Futures—Opening options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day ...	—	60⅜	62¼	64¼
Prev. day ...	57½	60⅜	62⅜	64⅜

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day ...	57⅞	60¾	62⅞	64⅞
Prev. day ...	57¼	60⅛	62⅜	64⅜

MAIZE opened steady at ⅛c. to ½c. loss, and closed steady, with futures generally ⅛c. down.
Futures—Opening options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day ...	—	39¾	42⅛	43½
Prev. day ...	37	40¼	42¾	43⅜

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day ...	—	39⅞	42½	43½
Prev. day ...	37	40	42½	43⅜

OATS closed dull, with May option ⅛c. cheaper.
Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day ...	—	25⅛	—	—
Prev. day ...	—	25¼	25⅜	26⅜

RYE closed barely steady at ⅛c. to ⅜c. loss.
Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day ...	47¼	49⅞	51¼	52¼
Prev. day ...	—	50¼	51½	53

PROVISIONS—Lard at the opening was steady. There were no noteworthy features during to-day's trading, and the market closed dull, with futures 2½ points higher to unchanged. Spot finished unaltered. Prime Western steam spot, 4.85.
LARD—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day ...	—	5.07½	5.17½	5.35
Prev. day ...	—	5.00	5.17½	5.32½

BACON steady at late rates. Short ribs sides (60lb. average), 5.87½.
HOGS steady and quotably unaltered. Light-weight, 4.90 to 5.10; heavy-weight, 4.30 to 4.50.

	To-day	Same day last year.
Receipts—Chicago	10,000	9,000
" Western	36,000	35,000

MANCHESTER MARKETS' REVIEW.

WIPING OUT THE TARIFF.

FROM OUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

There is again a quiet feeling to note in most departments of the provision trade, and the markets have been working under more or less unsettled conditions owing to the fluctuations in sterling during the early part of the week. In fact, one result of the sterling appreciation is that the ten per cent. import duty has been more or less wiped out within a week of its introduction. The bacon market shows some signs of recovery, and a better undercurrent is noticeable in most cures. Irish bacon continues steady and unchanged, and at the weekly meeting of the Manchester Bacon Committee, while it was decided to advance prices of leanest Danish 2s. per cwt., other selections remained unchanged. No alteration was made in Swedish, but Dutch shows a rise of 2s. and Polish 2s. to 3s. In butter the Danish official quotation was again wired 20 kroner lower at 185 kroner per 100 kilos, as compared with 205 kroner in the previous week, 232 at the corresponding period of last year, and 275 in 1931. Colonial descriptions have shown no very marked fluctuations during the past few weeks, but Continental makes have receded to the extent of about 40s. per cwt. in a little over a fortnight. The future course of both Continental and Colonial will doubtlessly be largely influenced by the new import duties which are now operative in regard to all descriptions of Continental butter imported into this country. Colonial butter is free of duty, and, therefore, will naturally meet with more attention. In this country there will be every desire to push the sale of butter from the Colonies, because it is relatively cheaper than other descriptions. The severe slump in Continental butter is probably due to the fact that it has been unduly raised in value owing, it is attributed, to the strong Continental demand. European supplies have been on the short side except those of Danish, which are normal for the time of the year. Notwithstanding the substantial reduction in Danish, Swedish and Finnish, prices are still much higher than New Zealand and Australian. The egg market has quietened down considerably, and prices for all descriptions closed with an easier tendency.

LIVE STOCK.

At the Manchester Cattle market on Tuesday both Irish and home-fed cattle were shown in smaller numbers, and there was again a slight decrease in dairy cows. Sheep and lambs, however, showed an increase of about 500, as compared with the previous week. A fair clearance was effected for fat cattle, sheep and lambs at firm figures, but cows suitable for dairy purposes were easier to buy. At the Manchester Pig market spot supply and demand was on a moderate scale, but prices showed a firmer tendency for all classes. A fairly good trade was experienced in all sections of the Manchester Dead Meat market. Both home-killed and imported beef ruled firm with a hardening tendency, and other descriptions were held for full rates.

Fair trade has been experienced for dead poultry throughout the week. Irish salmon remains steady at 2s. per lb. (wholesale).

BADMINTON.

BIG ENTRIES FOR BRANCH TOURNAMENT.

The fifth annual tournament held by the Midland Branch of the Irish Badminton Union begins this evening at Elm Park, Merrion road. This meeting grows in popularity each year, and the number of entries this time runs well into the sixth hundred. Play will commence at 6.30, and a late start will be the rule during the week, but on Saturday it is hoped to get under way at 2.30.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

6.30—Mrs. McLean and Mrs. Mills v. Miss Dunlop and Miss Sexton "A"; Miss Draper and Mrs. Bryers v. Mrs. Douglas and Miss Smallridge; Miss A. Egan and Miss McAuley v. Miss McSweeney and Miss McDonagh; Miss Atock and Miss Craigie v. Miss C. Crozier and Mrs. W. Crozier; Miss E. Wilson and Miss S. Wilson v. Miss K. Egan and Mrs. Elliott; Dowling and W. Tucker v. W. Brown and Curtis "B."

7.0—Brewster and C. Travers v. D. Grey and T. Newell; Eason and R. Cruise v. McEachern and MacMillan; Coghland and Callen v. Gordon and C. Blythe; E. Gray and A. Black v. Montgomery and Bogle; R. Rafter and Chamney v. Pitkethly and C. Blythe; B. Davis and Locke v. Keane and Careth.

7.30—J. Monks and Lacy v. Porter and G. Mortier; McCowen and Duff v. Murray and Sheebotham; Lutman and Dormer v. Pollard and M. Pike; Donaghy and Cotter v. Erskine and Dr. Charles; Goodwillie and Plumer v. Coard and W. Paltridge; Handy and G. Reid v. Ormiston and Thrift.

8.0—Miss Handy and Miss Henry v. Winners of "A"; Miss Ballinson and Miss Thompson v. Miss A. Smyth and Miss Harrington; Ross and Riddle v. Kenny and A. T. Jones; Bailie and A. White v. O'Connell and Shaw; J. Mooney and A. Jones v. E. Hall and N. Cooke; Lewis and Lewis v. Winner of "B."

8.30—Miss Patton and Miss D. Pike v. Mrs. Plumer and Miss H. Flavelle; Mrs. Tate and Mrs. Porter v. Miss S. Rogers and Miss B. O'Neill; Miss Chatterton and Miss Harty v. Miss Morton and Miss R. Dalzell; Miss S. Cheetham and G. Reid v. Miss Bolton and Blythe; Mrs. Elliott and Thornton v. Miss Roche and J. Mooney; Miss N. Conway and T. Maidment v. Miss Gill and Ross.

9.0—Miss P. Conway and Kenny v. Miss Thompson and A. Jones; Miss Haines and S. D. Harris v. Miss McSweeney and Duff; Miss O. Wiseman and C. Blythe v. Mrs. Plumer and J. Ormiston; Mrs. Reid and R. Lewis v. Miss Henry and A. Black; Miss Correll and A. Waters v. Miss L. Hobbert and Travers; Miss Hughes and N. Wilson v. Mrs. Coard and W. Paltridge.

9.30—Mrs. Tate and Porter v. Miss O'Dowd and Monks; Mrs. Porter and E. Maynard v. Miss Robinson and H. P. Murray; Miss K. Egan and R. Cruise v. Miss Handy and E. Gray; Miss Pike and M. J. Pike v. Miss Morton and Donaghy; Miss Dalzell and Rev. R. Montgomery v. Miss Flavelle and Plumer.

All competitors who are willing to play from 7 o'clock on St. Patrick's Day please notify the Hon. Referee, W. Sedgwick Keatinge (Telephone, Dublin 43564), before Wednesday.

GAELIC GAMES.

DUBLIN FOOTBALL SURPRISE.

ST. LAWRENCE DEFEAT GERALDINES.

(By PAT'O.)

ST. LAWRENCE 0-7, GERALDINES 1-2.

The first round of the Dublin senior football championship was concluded at Croke Park yesterday, when St. Lawrence (Howth) beat Geraldines and University College defeated Round Towers.

The victory of St. Lawrence was a complete surprise to all but the well-prepared Howth men. Geraldines had a fine team out, but they were outplayed and outpaced from start to finish, Howth giving a perfect display. After Howth had a point per Dixon, Monan kicked two points, but St. Lawrence drew level before half-time.

St. Lawrence had far the better of the second half. Molloy had two good points before Kelly shot an easy goal for Geraldines from far out. The Howth men finished at a fast pace, Molloy, McLoughlin (free) and Dixon adding good scores.

U.C.D. ...... 3-1. ROUND TOWERS ... 1-5.

Round Towers opened with two good points: Dowling scored from a free, and O'Dowd, elusive as usual, swerved through for a second. The students then put more spirit into their work, and Fitzgerald and Quigley were busy. Connolly swung a centre across, and Fitzgibbon goaled cleverly. O'Dowd's point balanced the scores, and he then sent Round Towers in front with another minor. Close on half-time Fitzgibbon turned in a second goal for U.C.D.

When Towers burst through, on changing sides, Kinsella found U.C.D.'s net with a good shot, but at the other end Fitzgerald, racing into the mark, once more swung the game in U.C.D.'s favour. The Clondalkin men struggled on bravely, and Doolin pointed, but the students had the better of matters near the end, and from a free Fitzgerald added their last point.

LEINSTER COLLEGES FOOTBALL.

BELCAMP ...... 1-7. KNOCKBEG ...... 2-4.

Though extra time was played in this senior semi-final on Saturday, a replay will be necessary. Belcamp had scores in the first half by Delaney, O'Shea and Wall (goal), to two points—Mulvihill and Maher—for Knockbeg. Henry balanced for Knockbeg, and it was score for score afterwards, Henry's great goal in the last minute nullifying Belcamp's lead.

SENIOR FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

Erin's Hopes, 4-5; Parnells, 1-1.
St. Mary's (D), 1-6; Erin's Isle, 0-6.
Westerns, 1-7; Dolphins, 0-3.
Army Metro., 1-4; Crumlin Indep., 1-1.
Fingallians (S.), 0-5; Dwyers, 0-3.
(Match stopped ten minutes from end.)

SENIOR HURLING LEAGUE.

Faughs, 5-4; Civil Service, 3-0.
University College, 8-3; Eoghan Ruadh, 4-3.
Army Metro., 2-7; Fontenoys, 3-2.
Young Irelands, w.o.; Commercials, scr.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY.

MUNSTER JUNIORS BEAT ULSTER JUNIORS.

MUNSTER .... 3 ULSTER 2

The concluding game in the Junior Interprovincial series was played on Saturday morning at Gilford road. Munster were the better side and fully deserved their victory. Their halves and forwards were much quicker on the ball than the Ulster players, who showed signs of their hard game the previous day against Leinster. The Munster backs and goalkeeper were very sound, and the custodian in the closing stages brought off many clever saves. Miss Burns (2) and Miss Buttimer scored for Munster, and Misses Wilson and White for Ulster.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

Leinster Senior Cup — Semi-finals — Pembroke Wanderers 3, Maids of the Mountains 2; Old College 2, Newcomes 1.
Junior Interprovincial—Munster 3, Ulster 2.
Senior League A—Muckross 2, Alexandra College 0; Loreto Past 2, National Bank 0.
Senior League B—University College 3, Old Wesley 0.
Club Match—Optimists 0, Dublin University 0.
Intermediate League—Pembroke Wanderers 2nd 4, Dublin University 2nd 2; Maids 2nd 6, Sheilmartin 3.
Peatt Cup—Maids 3rd 3, Dublin University 3rd 0; Old College 2nd 6, Old Wesley 2nd 0; Loreto Past 2nd 4, Monkstown 3rd 2; Maids 2nd 4, Muckross 2nd 1.
Middle League—Maids 4th 5, Annadale 2; Brookville 7, Mermaids 1.
Inter-Staff Match—Imperial Tobacco Co.: Factory 4, Office 1.
Junior League A—Optimists 4th 6, Helys 3.
Minor League A—Dublin University 5th 2, Annadale 3rd 1; Ivy 2nd 6, Loreto Past 4th 2.
Other Matches—Imperial Tobacco Co. 2nd 4, Civil Service 3rd 2; Pembroke Wanderers 4th 4, Ramblers 0; St. Mobhis 7, Clery's Sports Club 0; Bray 6, National Bank 2nd 4; Bohemians 2nd 2, Old Rutland 5th 2; Grange 2nd 2, Beaufort 2nd 1; Grange 4, Criterions 0.

MISS POLLARD AGAIN.

ENGLAND .... 5 SCOTLAND 0

England defeated Scotland at Glasgow on Saturday by five goals to nil. Miss M. Pollard was again the outstanding player, scoring two goals—one in each half—and with the other four English forwards gave a perfect display of positional play and combination, which contributed largely to the defeat of the Scottish side. Miss Morison made several good passes in the opening half, and combined well with Miss Campbell. Miss Brown (2) and Miss Ellis were the other scorers. Miss Pollard has scored eight goals in the last two internationals, having netted six against Wales last week.

GOLF.

CLUB COMPETITIONS.

PORTMARNOCK.

Medals.—Class 1.—S. R. Lignell (2), 78; C. Stack (7), 78; S. Spratt (10), 79; W. J. Gill (0), 80; P. A. Bell (4), 80; R. H. Hunter (9), 80; P. F. Purcell (4), 81; J. J. Kelly (6), 81; T. A. Healy (1), 82; D. Figgis (3), 82; J. H. Keane (5), 82; M. Hennigan (4), 82. Class II.—A. B. Kidd (12), 78; G. J. Moore (19), 78; F. D. Hurley (16), 79; H. T. Fradley (15), 79; J. A. Doyle (13), 80; F. H. Knee (10), 81; J. M. Naismith (11), 82. G.N. Cup.—Play-off—C. Stack, 1st; J. H. Keane, 2nd; P. F. Purcell, best gross.

KILLINEY.

Foursomes—G. N. Morphy and J. Turner Huggard, 3 up; G. Walker and A. S. Keating, 3 down.

GRANGE.

Medals—W. J. Reade (12), 69; J. Trotter (7), 73. Class II.—A. J. Reece (16), 69. Class III.—E. Duggan (20), 76.

ROYAL DUBLIN.

The Bar Cup—D. R. Pigot (5), 71 (best gross); J. Miley (11), 72; D. E. Batchen (15), 74; D. J. Collins (2), 75; M. E. Harvey (15), 75.

DUN LAOGHAIRE.

Fourball (R. H. Hunter's prizes)—J. G. Dixon and H. C. Owens, 4 up; W. Robbin and C. Montgomery, 3 up; M. B. Pearson and G. M. Curtin, 3 up.

NEWLANDS.

Medal—J. E. Fitzgerald (20), 75; H. O'Byrne (18), 78.

CLONTARF.

Monthly Cups.—Class I.—H. W. Young (9), 71; J. Pierce (12), 72. Class II.—D. Finn (16), 67; L. Herbert (15), 74. Class II.—G. B. O'Neill (20), 72; J. Caldwell (20), 75. Concealed nine holes—W. D. Crozier (12), C. Cosgrove (18), J. Pierce (12), and M. Fashbee (6), tied with 36.

CASTLE.

Foursomes—H. Kearns (20), and G. Butler (22), 73; J. Kelly (7), and J. E. O'Byrne (12), 77½; R. G. Wylie (15), and S. R. Flitton (10), 77½; A. Gow (10), and J. K. Gow (12), 78.

CARRICKMINES.

Ladies—Medal—Miss A. Dromgoole, 2 down; Mrs. Fitzpatrick, 4 down.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

St. Patrick's Cup, qualifying round, Thursday. Starting times can be booked beforehand at the clubhouse. Gold Medal—Entries, match play, close Monday, 21st inst.

GRANGE.

Ladies.—March 15—Fourball, bogey. Draw, 2.30, or arrange opponents.

CARRICKMINES.

Ladies—Medal.

ROYAL DUBLIN.

St. Patrick's Day—Lumsden medal, bogey.

CLONTARF.

Thursday.—St. Patrick's Cup (limit 18), 16 to qualify. Fourball, afternoon.

MILLTOWN.

St. Patrick's Day—Foursomes, strokes, morning; foursomes, bogey, afternoon.

REVENUE OFFICERS' G.S.

The following Committee for 1932/33 was elected at the annual general meeting:—P. Rice (capt.), S. Sheehan (hon. sec.), G. [illegible] (hon. treasurer), D. Brady, P. B. Heffron, T. Hodgins, V. Hughes, S. P. McCor[illegible], E. McGrath, J. Morgan, J. O'Gorman, E. [illegible]ey.

GREYHOUND RACING.

NO BOOKMAKERS AT SHELBOURNE PARK.

DEMURELY'S SMART DISPLAY.

The bookmakers did not attend at Shelbourne Park on Saturday night neither in the reserved enclosure or the second ring. The management, however, carried on, but the attendance was naturally small.

Some right good performances were witnessed. Demurely won the Clounanna Bitch Stake in a great race with Main Duchess, who failed by three-parts of a length. Scotstown Rover was an easy winner of the Shelbourne Stake. After half the journey he took the lead, and won by four lengths. Odd Brandy gave a capital display in the Shelbourne Hurdle, which he won in 31.96 secs. Camp Chief won the Celtic Hurdle, leading throughout, and, New Line Boy, getting quickly away, took the Sandymount Sprint, while Old Time Song was much the fastest in the Dublin Stake, and won by six lengths from Daffodil.

CLONMEL STAKE—Dr. W. P. O'Connor's w. bd. d. FEALE TIDE (4) (Figaro—Feale Wave), 1; Mr. F. G. Lynch's MILL FARM (3), 2; Mr. P. J. Campbell's CAMP PRINCE (6), 3. Also ran—Stained Glass (2), Spring Hall (5), Woodville Dasher (1). Six lengths; a neck. 31.79 secs.

SHELBOURNE HURDLE—Mrs. J. McDonald's bd. d. ODD BRANDY (6) (Bottle-Much Loved), 1; Miss P. Gardiner's GOTH (3), 2; Mr. F. Dillon's MY MOTTO (4), 3. Also ran—Coney Catch (1). Two lengths; six lengths. 31.96 secs.

SHELBOURNE STAKE—Mr. J. Delany's bd. d. SCOTSTOWN ROVER (6) (Melksham Arsenal—Humourous Flirt), 1; Mrs. A. O'Keefe's GAULSMILL AGAIN (1), 2; Mr. M. Horan's COLOURED JOHN (3), 3. Also ran—Main Duke (4), Vastator (5), Wexford Opinion (2). Four lengths; same. 31.14 secs.

CLOUNANNA BITCH STAKE—Mr. D. Dunne's bd. b. DEMURELY (1) (Mutton Cutlet—Douneen), 1; Mr. J. Dowler's MAIN DUCHESS (3), 2; Mrs. H. Torphy's THE TOFF'S SISTER (5), 3. Also ran—June Clover (2), What (6), Tolka Vale Girl (4). Three-parts of a length; a length. 31.59 secs.

CELTIC HURDLE (600 yards)—Mr. P. J. Campbell's f. d. CAMP CHIEF (6) (Beaded Dick—Dam Lively), 1; Mr. Falvey's BALLENREE (3), 2; Mr. P. Kelly's COBBLER'S JOB (4), 3. Also ran—Seaside Scamp (1). Six lengths; four lengths. 38.87 secs.

SANDYMOUNT SPRINT (355 yards)—Mr. J. Norton's bd. d. NEW LINE BOY (6) (Son of Erin—Not so Nice), 1; Mrs. A. O'Keefe's PRUDENT CANDIDATE (5), 2; Miss Power's CHESTNUT TREE (2), 3. Also ran—Dr. Beefex (3), Cherry Pride (1), Big Dependence (4). Three lengths; a neck. 20.46 secs.

DUBLIN STAKE—Mr. P. J. Murphy's bk. b. OLD TIME SONG (2) (Spalding Bishop — What's What), 1; Mr. J. D'Arcy's DAFFODIL (4), 2; Mrs. J. Shannon's THE LADY (5), 3. Also ran—Tables Turned (1), Camp Flier (3), Belafore (6). Six lengths; four lengths. 31.83 secs.

SHELBOURNE PARK—TO-NIGHT.

8.15—**DUBLIN STAKE** (525 yards)—Happy Gent, Punchaway, Thrassie, Blue Lion, Betsy's Boy, Southern Leader, Mickey Swift, Ayrfield Jeff.

8.35—**SANDYMOUNT SPRINT HURDLE** (355 yards)—Grandiflora, Sentry Order, Cruthfeather, Hot Cordial, Coney Catch, My Motto.

8.50—**CLONMEL STAKE** (525 yards)—Well Selected, Ruby Raymond, Prudent Ben, Broga Bana, Capra Hills, Pistol, Vastator, Coloured John.

9.10—**CLOUNANNA BITCH STAKE** (550 yards)—Nice Princess, Marlinstown Lass, Gosha Bead, Cosa Bana, Seabora II., Milano, Jaw Cracker, Soft Repose.

9.30—**CELTIC HURDLE** (600 yards)—Port Breac, Historic Officer, Marshal Foch, Little Tim Again, Kevinsfort View, Jimmy Boy.

9.45—**SANDYMOUNT SPRINT** (Bitches) (355 yards)—Odd Bliss, Cutlet's Fiancee, Freda's Walk, Daphne Dear, Only One, Bellamite, Dashing Belle, June Clover.

10.0—**CITY PLATE** (525 yards)—Rare Daisy, Ferck, Melksham Honey, Winsome Eileen, Sparkling Muscatel, Brookhill Lady, Molly Alone, Gentle Mover.

CORK—TO-NIGHT.

8.15—**FERMOY STAKES** (bitches). 525 yards—Glor Enda, Miss Nanette, Marieo O., Tullaha Lass, Noreen Bawn, Few. Subs.—Castle Blunder, The Queen's Fillet.

8.30—**COVE HURDLE.** 550 yards—Captain Spot, Knockma Boy, Shannon Charger, Golden Drift. Subs.—Castle Road, Delage Breac.

8.45—**SOUTHERN STAKES.** 525 yards—Butler's Bridge, Over Courtly, Murmur, Birdie's Hope, Lisnagoorneen Rover, Merchant. Subs.—Kildarra's Pride, Railway Cross.

9.0—**BALLINCOLLIG STAKES.** 525 yards—Magic Leader, Castle Girl, Glen Warrior, Auto Again, Faithful Garry, Kilabbey. Subs.—Ballysheehan Queen, Maid of Silverdale.

9.15—**MALLOW HURDLE.** 525 yards—Small Sherry, Fighting Factor, Sooty Fox, Golden Edge. Subs.—Odd Navigator, Arbeg Boy.

9.30—**BLARNEY STAKES.** 525 yards—Nubian, Colum O., Own Choice, Lisnacairn, Longhmahon, Lyre Boy. Subs.—Just Betty, Homewards Return.

CELTIC PARK—TO-NIGHT.

7.45—**SPRING CUP** (550 yards)—Heat 1—Krown Jewel, Killynoogan Lass, Fair Grace, Audrey's Pet, Stormy Ocean, Miss Butcher. Subs.—Silver Cypress, Cashelmore.

8.5—**ANGLESEY STAKES** (375 yards)—The Ace, Bangor Castle, Kilboggan, Clock Ticker, Bell Guard, Dark Harbour. Sub.—Ronnie Mac.

8.20—**MASSEREENE STAKES** (525 yards)—You Like Me, Kilwarlin's Double Lip, Thurfreda, Tonsorial Artist, Belmont Flapper, Vernoff. Subs.—Maiden's Mirror, Dundonald Express.

8.40—**NOVICE HURDLE** (525 yards)—Roddy's Dick, Dainty Kathleen, Old Regadoo, Armada. Sub.—Fryer's Girl.

9.0—**SPRING CUP** (550 yards)—Heat 2—Palmerstown, Cambridge Lane, Top Off, Puck, Our Countryman, Neptune's Pearl. Subs.—Silver Cypress, Cashelmore.

9.20—**MAZE HURDLE** (550 yards)—Knock Cross, Reggie, Smiling Rebecca, Ramble Away. Subs.—Easter Lamb, First Pick.

9.35—**MALLUSK STAKES** (525 yards)—The Square House, Doon Shamrock, Rougher's Pride, Granard Kille, Dogmatical, Krown Park. Sub.—Rory Og.

CROSS-COUNTRY.

CLONLIFFE HARRIERS' GRAND NATIONAL.

The annual "Grand National Handicap" with which there was associated this year the Irwin Memorial Trophy, commemorating the association of the late Flight-Lieutenant Irwin with the activities of the club, was held at Finglas on Saturday over a distance of six miles. There was nineteen starters, and fifteen of them finished. T. P. Murphy, the virtual scratchman, ran a very good race and overtook all but two of the field, returning an actual time of 38 mins. E. T. Galway, the old-time, long-distance cyclist, was on the limit, and making good use of his start, led until within a mile and a half of the finish, when he was passed by G. W. Kerr (5 mins. 50 secs.), who won by 1 min. 34 secs. The placings were:—

	Times. H'cap. M. S.		Actual. M. S.	
1—G. W. Kerr (5m. 50s.) ...	44	24	41	44
2—E. T. Galway (8m. 30s.) ...	45	58	45	58
3—T. P. Murphy (30s.) ...	46	0	38	0
4—S. Gray (1m. 15s.) ...	46	50	39	35
5—W. A. Brady (3m. 15s.) ...	47	15	42	0
6—P. O'Hara (2m. 15s.) ...	47	35	41	20
7—L. Maguire (3m. 15s.) ...	48	52	43	37
8—A. Wisdom (2m. 30s.) ...	49	5	43	5
9—H. McEvoy (4m. 15s.) ...	49	21	44	6
10—H. Cooney (2m. 15s.) ...	49	56	43	41
11—G. R. Wisdom (2m.) ...	50	25	43	55
12—J. Peelo (2m. 30s.) ...	51	48	45	48
13—J. Doyle (3m. 15s.) ...	52	7	46	52
14—D. King (3m. 15s.) ...	53	12	47	57
15—G. Cunningham (4m. 15s.) ...	53	50	49	35

DUBLIN CITY HARRIERS.

The six miles' race for the club championship was decided on Saturday in the Phœnix Park. Result:—

Club Championship:—1, J. Williams (40m. 46s.); 2, J. Timmins (41m. 47s.); 3, T. Dodd (41m. 56s.).
Sealed Handicap—1, T. Dodd (39m. 16s.); 2, J. McKeown (39m. 52s.); 3, J. Holden (40m. 11s.).
The Naylor Cup for the first novice in the championship was won by T. O'Brien, M. Slevin being second.

CIVIL SERVICE HARRIERS.

The four miles handicap for the Hensey Cup was decided on Saturday, with the following result:—

	—Times— H'cap. M. S.		Actual. M. S.	
1—B. McDonald (3 mins.) ...	26	3	23	3
2—J. Keogh (1 min.) ...	26	15	23	15
3—M. V. Foley (1 min. 20 secs.) ...	26	23	23	43
4—W. Smyth (45 secs.) ...	26	24	23	9
5—C. P. Dillon (1 min. 40 secs.) ...	26	35	24	15
6—P. Collins (2 mins. 10 secs.) ...	26	54	25	4
6—W. Mulcahy (1 min. 20 secs.) ...	26	54	24	14
8—M. Holmes (45 secs.) ...	26	55	23	40
9—E. Doran (1 min. 40 secs.) ...	26	56	24	36
10—P. Hughes (4 mins.) ...	27	41	27	41
11—R. D. Hogan (3 mins.) ...	28	25	27	25

TABLE TENNIS.

EASY VICTORY FOR WALES.

Wales defeated the Free State on Saturday evening at Cardiff by ten events to nil. The feature of the evening was the game between J. Drum (Free State), the former Irish champion, and H. V. Crocker (Cardiff). Crocker won the first set, but in the second Drum's spin seemed to upset the Cardiff hitter, and Drum eventually won this by 22-20. In the deciding set Crocker won by five points.

Wales scored 771 points against the Irish score of 293 points. Details:—
Davies (Wales) beat J. Drum—22-20, 21-14.
H. Needles (Wales) beat C. Kemp—15-21, 21-10, 21-7.
W. J. Fisher (Wales) beat J. Walsh—21-11, 21-12.
Miss Jackson (Wales) beat Miss Pemberton—21-13, 21-14.
Davies and Samuels (Wales) beat Kemp and Walsh—21-12, 21-11.
Miss Gublin (Wales) beat Miss Healy—21-13, 21-13.
H. Crocker (Wales) beat J. Drum—21-15, 20-22, 21-16.
T. Lisle (Wales) beat D. Hennessy—21-7, 21-5.
Jackson and Gubbins (Wales) beat Healy and Pemberton—21-14, 22-20.
L. Samuels (Wales) beat E. Smith—21-8, 21-8.

LIVE STOCK PRICES.

Compiled by our Agricultural Correspondent to show the range of values at leading fairs in Ireland.

Market or Fair.	Store Cattle, per cwt. Live Weight.	Fat Cattle, per cwt. Live Weight.	Springers, per Head	Milch Cows per Head.	Fat Sheep, per Head.	Fat Lambs per Head.
Dublin	36/- to 47/-	25/- to 46/6	£16 to £24	£13 to £20	40/- to 58/-	25/- to 43/-
Longford	31/- to 42/-	30/- to 39/-	£14 to £24	£8 to £21	35/- to 47 6	......
New Ross	35/- to 37/6	25/- to 38/6	£15 to £22 10/-	£13 to £21	35/- to 50/-	28/- to 30/-
Castlepollard	37/- to 40/-	......	£17 to £20	£15 to £19	35/- to 45/-	27/6 to 35/-
Macroom	25/- to 36/-	20/- to 34/-	£10 to £22	£14 to £20	32/6 to 57/6	28/- to 36/-
Waterford	32/- to 37/6	20/- to 40/-	£11 10/- to £21	£13 to £15 15/-	......	......
Fermoy	26/- to 36/-	22/6 to 40/-	£15 to £23	£15 to £17	48/- to 68/-	33/- to 48/-
Kilkenny	33/- to 37/-	26/- to 37/-	£14 to £24	£12 to £22 10/-	36/- to 51/-	32/- to 40/-
Drogheda	36/- to 41/-	30/- to 39/-	£13 to £23 10/-	£12 to £21 10/-	40/- to 70/-	......
Enniskillen	30/- to 39/-	27/- to 38/-	£9 to £20	£8 to £17	40/- to 50/-	......

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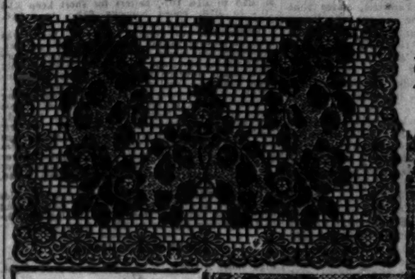

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2 EVERTON avenue, North Circular road, will be Sold by Public Auction, on the Premises (per instructions of the Mortgagee), Wednesday next, 16th inst., 2 o'clock, by MacArthur and Co., Ltd., Auctioneers, 28 Westmoreland street. 11 A

2 EVERTON avenue, North Circular road, is within a short distance of Phœnix Park. 11 A

2 EVERTON avenue, North Circular road, is a medium sized, modern, well built House. 11 A

2 EVERTON avenue, North Circular road, is now vacant, and possession will be given to the purchaser. 11 A

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HOUSES TO LET.

DETACHED Cottage, with garden, three rooms, etc.; rent £1 weekly. Apply Prim Bros., Dawson street. 12 B

HOUSES for Letting, Furnished and Unfurnished. Apply Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. T

RATHGAR—Good Unfurnished House, three reception rooms, four bedrooms, bathroom, etc.; electric light and power, garage, large garden, stocked; rent £100 and rates. Apply Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. 10 B

SEMI detached, two storey House, Clontarf; two receptions, four bedrooms, all modern conveniences; £130. Fee.—Fitzpatrick, "St. Kilda," Mount Prospect avenue. 'Phone, Clontarf 122. 9 A

WELL Furnished, semi detached House, Griffith avenue, to Let, for year or longer; two receptions rooms, four bedrooms, etc.; rent £12 monthly.—Prim Bros., Dawson street. T 12 D

HOUSES WANTED.

ADVERTISER Exchange House Ballsbridge for similar Dundrum, Clonskeagh, Miltown vicinity. S 174, this office. 11 C

GREYSTONES—Well Furnished compact House, 3 bedrooms, sea view; 2 guineas week. Arthur Jones, Son, Stephen's Green

SEVEN room, non basement, modern House Wanted to Purchase; South side only; good garden.—S 161, this office. 11 C

WANTED, House to Rent, near Dublin; convenient and good garden essential.—S 99, this office. 10 B

WANTED to Rent, medium House or Garden Flat, South side; rent in advance, punctually paid.—S 154, this office. 11 C

WANTED, to Purchase compact House, £500-£600, South side.—S 207, this office. 11 C

WANTED, House, Ballsbridge, Sandymount, Donnybrook, Rathmines; three bedrooms; £500-£800.—S 233, this office. 11 C

WANTED, small Cottage or Bungalow, summer residence, 30 minutes from centre; 4½ or six rooms, modern, with bath, electric light and garden, electric heat; entry May first-fifteenth; details, rent, etc. Address "Z 3909, House," this office. 11 C

APARTMENTS TO LET.

DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

APARTMENTS Agency—Flats, Board Residence, Furnished Apartments.—Miss White, 25 Nassau street. T

AT 157 Rathgar road—Furnished Apartments, Partial Board. 7 A

AT 16 Upper Leeson street, comfortable Furnished Apartments; board optional. 10 B

AT 29 Kildare street (opposite Museum), visitors or permanent. 11 C

A COMFINEY Room to Let at 53 Morehampton road; breakfast; bright and cosy. 9 A

BED-SITTINGROOM, cooker, every convenience; near Harcourt street; moderate.—S 16, this office. 9 A

BELGRAVE square, Rathmines—Gentleman can have nice Apartments, partial board if required.—S 203, this office. 11 C

APARTMENTS TO LET CONTINUED.

BED Sittingroom and kitchenette, nicely furnished, for one lady 15/-, two 17/.—Ions, Annesley Park, Rathmines. 9 A

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COMFORTABLE Home offered elderly or invalid, Protestant, 25/- weekly, Sandymount. Address "Z 5955, House," this office. 11 C

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DUBLIN Service Flats, 28 Upper Fitzwilliam street. Telephone 62885—Bed Sittingrooms and Suites, with private bathrooms, any period; gas fires and telephones in rooms; restaurants, garage. 10 B

FLAT to Let, well Furnished, self contained; suit gentlemen; can have breakfast, if required.—53 Merrion square. 10 B

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TWO large Rooms, Part Furnished, gas cooker; terms moderate.—2 Marino Crescent. 12 D

21 FITZWILLIAM square—Bed-Sittingroom, with private bath, large double bedroom, full or partial board. 9 A

APARTMENTS WANTED.

APARTMENTS, Flats, Furnished and Unfurnished, Wanted; good tenants; waiting.—Albert Accommodation Bureau, 20 Henry street. 11 A

GENTLEWOMAN, I.C., would give companionship, assist gardening, light duties; pay 12/6 weekly, return comfortable home, near 17/24, Eason's Advertising Service, Dublin. 9 A

LADY, delicate chest, wishes to immediately Paying Guest, near Dublin and R.C. church (not seaside); permanent; good food essential.—S 0 540, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 9 A

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YOUNG Lady requires nicely Furnished Bed-Sitting-room, in very select house.—S 246, this office.

NURSING HOMES AND INSTITUTIONS.

INVALIDS, or those requiring Care, received in private house, convenient to city, South side; home comforts; extensive grounds. For particulars address S 0 533, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 13 B

MATERNITY Patients received any time; highest references; moderate terms; every attention.—Kincora Nursing Home, Monkstown, Co. Dublin. 11 C

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AT 13 Merrion square, 38 Pembroke road and 22 Trafalgar terrace, Monkstown; also Garages, 60 Pembroke road. Apply Mr. Keys, 17 Fownes' street, Dublin. 13 D

ATTRACTIVE Garden Flat to Let on Northumberland road; three rooms, kitchenette, etc., partly furnished; suit ones addict; £9 monthly. Address "Z 3971, Flat," this office. 9 A

FURNISHED Flat, 2 rooms, kitchenette; Phœnix Park road.—S 67, this office. 10 B

FLAT, 3 rooms, kitchenette, bathroom, etc.; rent £45. Offers.—Hall, 4 Grosvenor square. 10 B

FLAT to Let, well Furnished, self contained; suit gentlemen; can have breakfast, if required.—53 Merrion square. 10 B

FURNISHED Flat, off Gilmorehood avenue, 3 rooms, own landing, use bathroom; suit married couple; moderate.—S 20, this office. 9 A

HALL Flat to Let, furnished or Unfurnished; suit doctor or dentist.—52 Merrion square. 10 B

HARCOURT street—Unfurnished two floored Flat, five rooms, kitchenette, bathroom, etc.; rent £90.—Prim Bros., Dawson street. 9 A

LEINSTER Square—Self-contained Unfurnished Hall Flat, two rooms, kitchenette, bath, electric light, 4 Grosvenor square. 10 B

LOWER Leeson street—Self contained, two bedroom flat, five rooms, bathroom, electric light, telephone; rent £75.—Prim Bros., Dawson street. 12 B

LOWER Leeson street—Self contained Flat, three rooms, kitchenette, bathroom; rent £72.—Prim Bros., Dawson street. 9 A

SELF-CONTAINED Unfurnished Flat, 5 rooms, kitchenette, bathroom, electricity, gas; 19 Mount street. Apply 8 187, this office. 11 C

SELF contained Flats and Maisonettes, Furnished and Unfurnished, for Letting, all districts, city and suburbs.—Apply Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. T

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UNFURNISHED Drawingroom Flat, 3 rooms, gas stove, electric heat, bath; 25/- weekly; adults, two.—175 Clontarf road. 10 B

UPPER Leeson street—Self contained Flat, three rooms, kitchenette, bathroom, etc.; rent £72.—Prim Bros., Dawson street. 9 A

WELL Furnished Bedroom, Sittingroom, Kitchenette to Let, Drumcondra; cooker, garage, electric light, gas. Seen from 5 o'clock, 60 St. Patrick's road. 11 C

3 ROOM Flat to Let, kitchenette, and cooker.—37 Upper Mountpleasant avenue, Rathmines. 9 B

FLATS WANTED.

COMPLETELY Self-contained Flat Wanted, 4 or 5 rooms, Fitzwilliam square district.—S 191, this office. 9 A

COUPLE (gentlefolk) Require Flat, two bedrooms, sitting-room, within mile Ascots Grand; preferences garage.—S 91, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 9 A

FLAT Wanted, four apartments, North city; excellent tenant; pay three months advance.—S 32, this office. 9 A

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HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

AT Kingstown, Sandycove, Dalkey—Megahey, Auctioneer, Sandycove, has several Furnished Houses and numerous Flats to Let. 5 B

AT Malahide, Unfurnished House to Let, recently modern conveniences.—S 11, this office. 9 A

BY the sea at Sandycove—Unfurnished, non-basement House to Let, six rooms, garage, every convenience, £100.—Megahey, Auctioneer, Sandycove. 10 B

COTTAGES to Let. Apply Evans, Eden Cottage, Greystones. 9 A

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FURNISHED House to Let for May, June and September, West of Ireland; close to sea and large strand; drawingroom, diningroom, five bedrooms, bathroom (hot), garage. Address "Z 3860, House," this office. 9 B

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TO Let from 20th April to 20th July, small well Furnished House, Kingstown; garage, garden.—264, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 10 B

TO be Let, Eucharistic Congress or longer, moderate, 7 Country House, 16 miles Dublin; low rent; use of car if wanted. Address "Z 3922, House," this office. 11 A

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VACANT, Sell £500, lease 900 years, nine rooms, garden front, rear; 2 Tros-yr-afon, Esplanade, Bray; subject £7; Let £100.—Joyce, Solicitor, 121 Stephen's Green. 12 D

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